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## SCOUTS TAKE HOLD OF CLEAN-UP WORK TO START TODAY

About a Hundred Boys Are Deputized as a Sanitary Squad and Set Out with Clean-up Notices

### DIVIDE CITY INTO DISTRICTS

Patrol Leaders Are Commissioned as Lieutenants to Oversee Work of the Scouts

### WILL COVER LAND TWICE

After Notices Are Distributed on First Trip Boys Will Go Week Later to Find Neglected Places

Upwards of one hundred boy scouts, members of Troops Two and Three of La Crosse, were last night commissioned by Scoutmaster C. R. Bearmore as deputy sanitary inspectors at the meeting held at 7:15 at the Young Men's Christian association.

Nine patrol leaders, in charge of ten patrols, were commissioned as lieutenants to work directly with Scoutmaster Bearmore and Health Commissioner J. M. Furman in the clean-up campaign launched yesterday by the ladies of the Twentieth Century club.

On the shoulders of the boy scouts was laid the burden of the most thorough spring sanitation campaign ever conducted in La Crosse. The members of Troop One of the North side have during the last two days received their instructions from Scoutmaster Harry Spence, who saw many of the boys in person, no meeting being called for the purpose.

### Boys Take Hold Eagerly

Seemingly feeling the responsibility of the commission turned over to them, the scouts last night enthusiastically entered the campaign. When Scoutmaster Bearmore concluded his brief talk to them, the boys broke into a hum of excitement, which ended only after they had disbanded, after discussing the matter in groups of two and three around the lobby of the Y. M. C. A.

Scoutmaster Bearmore's instructions to the boys, which were the same as given the North side scouts by Scoutmaster Spence were as follows:

### Instructions to Scouts

The scouts, in ten patrols, will cover the city with notices issued by the health department of the official clean-up campaign. Each patrol will have its own district, which it is expected to cover thoroughly. The cards will be distributed starting this afternoon.

After one week has passed, the scouts will re-cover their territory, reporting delinquencies to their patrol leaders who in turn will report to the scoutmaster. Yards not cleaned up one week after the owners have been served with notices will be cleared by the city, the expense to be assessed to the property owner.

### Boys Must Be Courteous

That they should do the work in a courteous manner was impressed upon the boys by Scoutmaster Bearmore. He also made the statement that the scouts will expect courtesy from the property owners.

The routes of the ten patrols, together with their leaders, follow:

Hot Trailers, Kenneth Kinnear, patrol master, front street to Fourth street.

Crow, William Sanders, master, front street to Sixth street.

Radgo, Roy Fritz, Sixth street to Eighth street.

Battle Snake, Charles Heyerdahl, Eighth street to Tenth street.

Blazing Arrow, Thomas Stavrum, Tenth street to Twelfth street.

Star, Andrew Boyd, Twelfth street to Fourteenth street.

Flying Eagle, Cecil Smith, Fourteenth street to Sixteenth street.

Baptists (two patrols), Morris Pearson, Sixteenth street to Eighteenth street and Eighteenth street to Twentieth street.

Buffalo, Arthur Peterson, Twentieth street to Twenty-fourth street.

The routes are bounded by Zeller street on the north and Mormon Coulee road on the south.

### North Side Routes

The north side routes:

Boomers, all of the district south of the Milwaukee tracks.

Owls, all of the district between the Milwaukee tracks and St. Paul street.

Rob Whites, St. Paul street to Sill street.

Eagles, Sill street to Gohres street.

Wolves, all the district north of Gohres.

### KANSAS CITY STOPS FOR NELSON FUNERAL

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 16.—Kansas City paused today to attend the funeral of Colonel William R. Nelson of the Star. School, business houses, banks, markets and courts were closed, while the street cars, trolleys and interurbans suspended traffic for five minutes. Many newspapers throughout Kansas closed during the hours of the funeral service.

## Leader of Old Guard of G. O. P. Called by Death



Former Senator Thomas Nelson Aldrich who died today at his home in New York city.

## ENGLAND DOES HER BEST BY PRISONERS SAYS U. S. VISITOR

Report After Inspection of Camps Says Men Are As Treated as Well as Can Be Expected

### SANITARY CONDITIONS NOT GOOD

English Promise Improvement and Lay Blame on Labor Troubles

BY CARL W. ACKERMAN

BERLIN, April 3.—(By Mail to New York)—England, on the whole, treats the Austro-German prisoners she has interned "as good as could be expected under the circumstances," according to a report made by United States Ambassador Gerard by John B. Jackson, an American, who visited English prison camps.

The sanitary conditions in some of the British camps were bad, Jackson reported. The British commanders promised him, he said, that these situations would be improved.

### England Has 26,900 Prisoners

On February 1, Jackson reported England had interned 26,900 German and Austrians. These men were confined in thirteen detention camps and on nine ships. Generally speaking, the food and health of the prisoners was good, according to the report to Ambassador Gerard.

The Germans complained principally of the monotonous bill of fare and of their treatment after arrest, Jackson reported. Several Germans brought from South Africa swore they had been insulted and robbed, while others testified that they owed their lives to British soldiers who protected them from mobs in France while they were being transferred from the front to Great Britain.

### Better Than First Camps

"The new camps are better than the ones first used," said the report. "Lack of organization and preparation would account for most of the hardships which prevailed at first. Absolutely nowhere did there seem to be any wish to make conditions any harder or more disagreeable for the prisoners than was necessary."

Labor difficulties were given frequently by the British authorities as the reason for their failure to improve conditions at the prison camps, Jackson reported.

## Here's First Hat of Tipperary Type Seen This Season

This story is vouched for by D. S. Greig, advertising manager of the TRIBUNE.

There is a truly brave man in La Crosse today. The first straw hat of the season adorned his head. He sat at the steering apparatus of an electrically driven automobile; his face was serious; he realized the danger that he was in to the fullest extent. He crowded the machine to its motive capacity.

The courageous wearer of the first "Tipperary" of the straw variety turned from Main street into an alley.

"I saw him drive the machine back later," said Greig, "but he did not have the straw hat on. The man was B. E. Edwards."

## FORMER SENATOR ALDRICH DIES OF APOPLEXY ATTACK

Rhode Islander Was Long a Leader of the "Old Guard" of the Republican Party

### AUTHOR OF FAMOUS TARIFF

He Was Identified Also with Aldrich-Vreeland Currency Measure and Other Bills

NEW YORK, April 16.—Ex-Senator Nelson W. Aldrich dropped dead here today.

The first symptoms of any ailment came when Aldrich was seized with an attack of indigestion yesterday afternoon. He seemed entirely recovered when physicians left him. Dr. Thatcher called today, found him feeling well and departed.

Ten minutes later Senator Aldrich succumbed to the apoplectic stroke. His wife and daughter, Miss Lucy Aldrich and his son Winthrop were with him at the end. His son-in-law, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was unable to reach him in time.

The former senator died at his home, 908 Fifth avenue, shortly after nine o'clock this morning. He had not been in good health for some months, but his illness was not regarded as serious. He was in his 74th year, having been born at Foster, R. I., November 4, 1841. His home was at Warwick, R. I.

### Retired in 1911

Senator Aldrich retired from the senate March 3, 1911, after serving in congress from Rhode Island, in both senate and house for many years. He was principally celebrated for his part in financial measures, as the author of the Aldrich-Vreeland currency act and as the co-author of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law.

After serving in the Providence city council for several years, Senator Aldrich was elected speaker of the Rhode Island house of representatives in 1875. He was elected to the Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh congresses, serving from 1879 to 1883, and was elected to the senate in 1881 being continually re-elected until he refused renomination after his term expired in 1911 to devote his entire time to the work of the national monetary commission, of which he was chairman.

### Leader of Republicans

For many years Senator Aldrich was regarded as a leader in the inner national councils of the republican party. He was a prominent figure at conventions and the contemporary of many republican veterans, such as President McKimley, Mark Hanna, "Uncle Joe" Cannon, and others.

For years he was chairman of the senate committee, the tariff and currency legislative "steering committee." He was popularly regarded as intensely conservative, a member of the republican "old guard."

Of spare, erect figure, Senator Aldrich had a magnetic and forceful personality. His sharp piercing eyes were his striking facial feature, peering out from beneath bushy gray eyebrows. He was an acknowledged expert on financial affairs and was well known in all national financial circles, having toured the country as head of the monetary commission when a "central bank" plan was proposed.

### "Loss to Nation"—Cummings

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 16.—Senator Albert B. Cummings of Iowa, when informed of the death of ex-Senator Aldrich today, said: "His death is a loss to the nation. I am inexpressibly shocked at the news. Senator Aldrich was a strong and capable leader, one of the nation's assets."

### THRASHING FOR MUTINEERS

MENA, Ark., April 16.—Twenty-two high school students who mutilated recently submitted to corporal punishment before the entire school board at the principal's hands or face suspension, the board decided today.

## "BOBBY HOOKS" HAS FRIENDS WHO WANT HIM TO GET WELL

Friends of "Bobby Hooks" (Atlas Lincoln) who for the last twenty years has been a familiar figure about La Crosse, with his carnations and matches, armless, mercurial and confident in the honesty of his fellowmen who always had to make his own change out of Bobby's pocket, are today endeavoring to have Bobby cared for in a sanitarium where he will have opportunity to recover from his ailments.

Ever since he sustained a paralytic stroke, several years ago Bob has been suffering and of late the impediment to his gait has been so great that frequently he has been unable to care for himself. He has some means. Funds required over this amount will be made up by his friends.

### River Stage

Flood Stage, Height Change.  
St. Paul . . . 14 9.3 -0.2  
Reeds Landing . . 12 7.8 . . .  
La Crosse . . . 12 9.5 -0.1  
St. Louis . . . 30 20.8 .00

### River Forecast

From St. Paul to La Crosse. There will be no material changes in the river stages during the next 36 hours.

## EARLY GOLFERS TRY OUT LINKS OPENING MAY 1

Workmen Busy with Changing of Holes but Enthusiasts Are Already Out for Spring Training

May 1 has been set as the tentative date for the opening of the La Crosse Country club, according to members of the club. The exact date has not been fixed. Street cars will run to the club commencing the day of the opening.

The fact that the house is closed has not prevented enthusiasts of the green from making the rounds of the links. The grounds have been used by members of the club for the last week. Among those who have already been out are George Gordon, Carl Michel, Dr. E. A. Gatterdam, C. H. Schweizer, Alfred James, J. B. Funke, A. L. Goetzmann, George Burton and E. L. Colman.

Several changes in the location of holes are being made by workmen. The links will be in first-class condition for the opening date.

## HERE'S A HUSBAND WHO GOES TO JAIL FOR BEING CLOSE

Joseph Rinartz Ordered by Court to Pay Spouse \$10, Fails, and Gets Contempt Sentence

Joseph Rinartz, 133 Mill street, will have to either spend the spring in county jail or pay \$10 alimony to his wife, Mae Rinartz, who has a divorce suit pending in circuit court.

Judge Higbee ordered Rinartz to pay his wife alimony and this morning issued an order that he be confined in jail until such payment was made. The order followed a complaint from Mrs. Rinartz. Rinartz was charged with contempt of court.

Wealthy Jane Wisdom, Lancaster, Wis., has brought her troubles to La Crosse county, and will ask that Judge E. C. Higbee retry a case which involves a property valued at \$5,742, which she says was left to her, by F. M. Wisdom, her father, James Wisdom, her executor, is the defendant in the action.

## RUMOR PICKS HART FOR PLACE ON POLICE BOARD

It is rumored in official circles today, although not confirmed by Mayor-elect A. A. Bentley, that Homer C. Hart is slated for the position of member of the fire and police commission to take the place of William Doerflinger, whose term will expire May 1, and who will not be a candidate for the office. Mr. Bentley refused to be interviewed on the subject today.

## Weather

Temperatures yesterday:

High, 80.

Low, 54.

Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

For Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

### Weather Conditions

A storm is moving off the north Atlantic coast and shallow depressions are located in the southwest and in the extreme northwest.

The pressure is relatively high from the lake region to the gulf coast.

Local showers and thunderstorms have occurred in the last 24 hours in the Rocky mountain district, western Texas and New Mexico, and in the upper Mississippi valley and lake region but fair weather prevails at nearly all stations this morning.

The heaviest rainfalls were 3.12 inches and 1.20 inches at Roswell, N. H., and St. Paul respectively.

The temperature changes have been generally small and variable.

The pressure conditions indicate generally fair weather in this section for tonight and Saturday with moderate temperature.

## PEACE MOVE HERE TO HAVE SUPPORT OF CIVIC BODIES

Organization of Huge Association of Commerce Is Plan of City Boosters to Meet Tonight

### RESOLUTIONS ARE PREPARED

Eleven Societies Tonight to Indorse Plan of Miss Keefe to Organize Women Workers

Representatives of eleven civic bodies, meeting at the Stoddard hotel tonight will take up the proposed plan of forming a peace organization in La Crosse, to be a branch of the International Conference of Women Workers to Establish Peace Throughout the World.

Resolutions drawn up by Miss Rose Keefe, recently appointed a member of the executive board will be presented, and will probably be adopted.

The plan includes the forming of one or more branch societies here under the direction of Miss Keefe and Mrs. May Wright Sewell, president of the peace organization of this country.

Among world prominent women speakers who will appear here in the near future, are Miss Jane Addams, now on her way to The Hague peace conference in Europe, and Mrs. William I. Thomas, Chicago.

The resolution follows: WHEREAS, The present war in Europe has brought to thoughtful and patriotic men a realization of the waste and horrors of war and the fact that war is a cruel and barbarous method of adjusting international quarrels and differences, and

WHEREAS, Civilization and human progress have reached such a stage that war between civilized nations has become a most heinous crime and ought to be avoided by an appeal to reason, honor and justice and right, and

WHEREAS, It is the consensus of opinion among many of the most eminent jurists of the country, including ex-President Taft, the late Carl Schurz, Charles W. Eliot, Nicholas Murray Butler, Lyman Abbot, Seth Low and scores of others, that the abolition of war and the reign of law is no whit more impossible than hundreds of other things that civilization has already gained, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That representatives of the La Crosse District Medical association, the La Crosse Retail Druggists' association, the La Crosse Retail Merchants' association, the La Crosse District Dental association, the La Crosse Bar association, the North Side Progressive league, the La Crosse Manufacturers' and Jobbers' club, the La Crosse Retail Butchers' association, the La Crosse Retail Grocers' association, the La Crosse Bankers' association go on record as favoring the substitution by force of law, and the speedy creation of a permanent Court of Arbitration for the peaceful adjustment of international quarrels and differences, and be it further

RESOLVED, That these organizations favor the inauguration of peace societies for the promotion and advancement of this principle.

The immediate purpose of tonight's gathering is to consolidate all of the civic bodies of La Crosse into one large association of commerce similar to that of Minneapolis and other large cities. The formation of such a body need not necessarily abolish the smaller commercial clubs and organizations.

### MODEL FARMERS ENTER STATE MEET TO PROVE METHODS

S. D. Dudley, West Salem; E. A. Jones, Bangor, and S. F. Markle, La Crosse, have been chosen among seventy other Wisconsin farmers to enter the state farm management contest. They have been chosen because of the attention given by them to maintaining the fertility of their farms, to keeping up the health of their livestock and to improving home life, as well as obtaining a net income.

### COURT ARRESTS TWO

CHICAGO, April 16.—William P. Burke and Oscar C. Hunt were today arrested on a warrant issued from the federal district court in Milwaukee, charging contempt of court. The warrant stated Burke and Hunt refused to report on concealed assets, in disobedience to a court order.

### TIPS IN BIG LUMP BEFORE TOO LATE

MINNEAPOLIS, April 16.—Fearing the passage of the Minnesota anti-tipping law, A. O. Caldwell, Detroit salesman, gave a bell-boy \$20 in gold, to remember him after the law passed. He did likewise in Milwaukee.

## ZEPPELIN RAIDERS AGAIN CROSS CHANNEL AND DROP BOMBS CLOSE TO LONDON

### AERIAL WARFARE IN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

German Zeppelins bombarded six English towns, injuring a woman and a girl, and doing \$150,000 damage.

German aviator bombarded Faversham and Sittingbourne within forty miles of London this afternoon, doing no damage.

French aviators bombarded Freiburg, Germany, killing two men and four children, and wounding two men and eight children.

German aviator bombarded Calais, injuring one civilian.

French aviators bombarded German headquarters at Mezières and German military buildings at Ostend.

## BATTLE RESUMED ALONG SEA COAST ON WEST FRONT

British Destroyers Attempting to Help Land Forces Are Driven Off Berlin Reports

### REPORT GAS-CHARGED SHELLS USED

No Change in the Situation on the Eastern Battle Front Says Today's Report

BERLIN, via Wireless to London, April 16.—British destroyers, standing in near the coast, assisted the allied land forces in a heavy artillery attack upon the German positions between Nieuport and Ostend yesterday, according to an official statement from the war office this afternoon.

The Germans trained their coast guns upon the warships and forced them to retire without doing any damage. Increased activity all along the battle front was reported in official dispatches received here today.

In the Meuse and Moselle region, the French have resorted to the use of asphyxiating bombs and explosive cartridges, according to dispatches from the German commanders. This method of fighting is daily becoming more frequent on the part of the enemy, the war office announced.

There is little change in the situation on the eastern battle front, according to the war office.

## HOSPITAL CORPS ORGANIZED HERE

Dr. McArthur and Dr. Gray at Head; Uniforms Arrive for the Members

Dr. Daniel McArthur, surgeon major of the United States army, stationed at La Crosse, and Lieutenant R. H. Gray, have completed the organization of a hospital corps here.

The corps is connected with the state militia and is composed of twenty-four men. The uniforms arrived in the city today. They differ only slightly from the uniforms of the privates in the army, the caps being trimmed with maroon color. The hospital corps carries no arms aside from a long knife which is used in cutting underbrush in time of active engagements.

### CHASEBURG CO-OP FORMED

Articles of incorporation of the Chaseburg Farmers' Co-operative company were filed here today. The store will dispense all kinds of merchandise. H. G. Anderson, A. M. Galstad, August Luedke, L. Gundersen and A. L. Grimsrud are the incorporators.

## Mail Goes Wrong So Nippa Works a Day Overtime

Navy Recruiting Officer E. A. Nippa, stationed at the federal building here was probably the only navy officer doing land duty that did not get a vacation yesterday, the fiftieth anniversary of the death of Abraham Lincoln. Through a mistake in the mails, he received a letter from navy headquarters to take the day off, after the day was over.

## NIGHT RAID IS FOLLOWED BY A DASH OF TAUBES

Third Expedition in Forty Hours Drops Bombs in England This Afternoon

### ONE AIRSHIP ELEVEN MILES AWAY

Twelve Cities All Within Seventy Mile Radius of Metropolis Are Visited

### LOWEST OF THE WORST

Town of Malden Target for Heavy Bombardment Which Does Small Damage

LONDON, April 16.—German aircraft made two separate raids over England today, one in the early hours of the morning being conducted by three Zeppelins; and at least three Taubes taking part in the second bomb-dropping dash this afternoon. The Zeppelins got away safely before dawn broke, but British aviators took the air when the Taubes were sighted in Kent, and one of the German birdmen was reported brought down.

Today's raids made the third within less than forty hours.

Within thirty-two miles of London, two of the enemy's Taubes launched explosive missiles this afternoon upon Sittingbourne, in Kent, after first bombarding Faversham.

They then sped northward toward Sheerness, engaged by three British aviators from the aviation camp at Chatham. An unconfirmed report

"England fears my dirigibles," said Count Zeppelin. In an interview with a United Press correspondent on February 1, the creator of Germany's air dreadnaughts declared:

"England fears the Zeppelin dirigibles. She realizes that they threaten to destroy her splendid isolation. . . . In this most critical hour, when Germany's very existence is at stake . . . if Zeppelins add the slightest strength to the Fatherland, . . . then my life will not have been in vain."

"Is it planned to attack London?" he was asked.

"That is a question for the admiralty and the general staff to decide," replied Count Zeppelin.

from Chatham said that one of the Germans had been brought down by rifle shots fired by the Royal Dublin fusiliers.

Reports to the admiralty early this afternoon contained no confirmation of the reported capture of one of the German birdmen. These dispatches declared a thrilling battle 2,000 feet above the railway leading from Sittingbourne to Sheerness, was reported by villages along the route. The English aviators attempting to cut off the Germans' escape to the north sea.

The dockyards at Sheerness and the British aviation station at Chatham are believed to have been the main objective of this newest air raid. The Germans also attempted to drop bombs on the camp of the Royal Dublin fusiliers, near Sittingbourne, but were driven off by a hot fire, after hurling one explosive in an orchard 200 yards from the camp.

Convinced that London is to be the next object of attack, the municipal authorities after a conference with admiralty officials, this afternoon issued a call for volunteers to patrol the roads leading into the capital at night. The appeal was particularly directed to motor clubs.

Count Zeppelin is at Cuxhaven for the purpose of directing the expected aerial raid on London, according to Amsterdam dispatches today. Several Zeppelins have been transported to the German flying bases at Emden and Cuxhaven and the enemy's airmen are displaying the greatest activity. Three Zeppelins participated in an attack on English towns near London early today, the number of the raiding craft being confirmed by dispatches from several small islands off the coast of Holland this afternoon, that three Zeppelins flew over the islands late yesterday headed for England.

The flying corps command-

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**NEW DRESSES** Very latest models, messalines, crepes, Lisses, black and white and blue and white stripe voiles and marquisettes, white and cream wash laces, priced from **\$15 up to \$50**

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We want fifty thousand people to walk over this Rug in the next week. One day's wear on the sidewalk is more than one year in your home. This is the most severe test possible for a floor covering.

Anglo-Persian is the Finest Wilton Rug made. Walk over it in front of our store for the next two weeks.

### SILK SECTION

36 inch fast colored Striped Wash Silks, a good range of patterns, at **\$1.00** per yard

### Underwear Section

Ladies' Closed Union Suit, made of fine lisle, crochet top, low neck, sleeveless, umbrella lace trim, at **\$1.00, 75c and 50c**

Some superior points about our underwear: Flat locked seams, their fit (each style is made to fit a living model), hand crochet and shell finish on garments **50c**

We will send out garments for comparison. When the best is the same price you lose comfort and money if you don't get the best.

### New Wash Skirts are in

### Wash Goods Section

Figured Crepe Cloths, Seeded Voiles, Organ-dies, Lace Cloths, Flaxons, Tissues, Satin Striped Voiles are the choicest wash fabrics for 1915. We show over 500 pieces, no two alike, priced per yard from **15c to 50c**  
Real Japanese Embroidered Tambour Crepes—32 inch, all the new colorings, per yard **75c**  
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Ladies' size 26, men's size 28. Paragon frame, Princess handles, taffeta covered, absolutely fast black. We guarantee it. Sold at and they are worth it, \$1.25; one day only at

**\$1.00 Each**

### Millinery Section

The new ideas in Flowers and Shapes came this week. The trend of styles in Hats can be seen plainly now and you should see all of our new things—come in tomorrow.

**\$3.75 to \$5.00** will go farther here in Millinery on Saturday than any time this season. If you wish to pay \$5.00 or less for a hat and want a good one, you are due here tomorrow.

### Domestic Section

You spend one-third of your life in bed.—**BE COMFORTABLE.**

Quilted Bed Pads, full bed size, **\$2.50** washable, at

This is the best pad made.

3-4 and full size Sheets, Utica, New Bedford, Fruit of the Loom, each in a class by itself. The New Bedford is much better and finer than linen cases, in hemstitch and plain hem to match. We will make a Comfort to your order and you will KNOW what it is made of.

### Corset Department

Closing out our line of W. B. Corsets. Value **\$1.00 and \$1.50** now—all large sizes from 26 and up to 30. Reduced to **50c** each

### BASEMENT

New patterns in Glassware. Colonial Vases with diamond cut patterns, which sell each from **25c to \$2.00**  
Covered Water or Ice Jug in large and small sizes, at each **50c and 75c**  
Cut Glass Bowls, Vases, Comports and Nappies, range from **\$1.25 to \$8.00**  
Wear-Ever Aluminum Roasters in three sizes. Spiders sell from **75c to \$2.50**  
Waffle Irons, Gas Irons, sell at **\$3.00**  
White Granite Ware in Double Boilers, Coffee and Tea Pots, Tea Kettles, Sauce Pans and Baking Dishes.  
Rayo Lamps, complete, can be bought for each **\$1.75**  
Paper Lamp Shades for each **5c**  
Dish Mops at each **5c**



### HANGMAN'S CARNIVAL

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 16.—What was the inauguration of a month of hangings in California history was scheduled today with the execution on the scaffold of Charles Oxnham and Glenn Witt, murderers. Oxnham was to be hung today at San Quentin penitentiary and Witt at the Folsom prison. Two more hangings are scheduled next Friday and another the following Friday.

### Reall Orderlies

Sick headache, biliousness, piles and bad breath are usually caused by inactive bowels. Get a box of Reall Orderlies. They act gently and effectively. Sold only by us at 10 cents. O. T. Erhart.

### The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

### COLGATE'S INSPIRATION

BY MOLLY McMASTER

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Colgate was fagged both mentally and physically. The last few of his songs, ground out through the din of a city flat, had lacked entirely the charm of his earlier efforts. His reputation, so recently gained, would suffer irreparable damage if he could not offer his publishers another "Moonlight Madness" or "A Fairy's Dream." These two songs had pitched Colgate into fame before he quite realized that they had gone through the publisher's press.

When inspiration had forsaken him Colgate had held a counsel of suggestion with his cronies. It was Haggood of the "Musical Review," who had told Colgate about the camp in the Adirondacks that would simply breathe into his listening ear all the melodies and shy whisperings that any music lover needed.

"There's laughter in a tiny stream up there and sadness and joy in the purring of the wind," Haggood had added, as if slightly fearful that amusement would spring into the eyes fixed upon him, "and the odor of pine needles!" Haggood had drawn a deep breath and a reminiscent smile had crossed his face.

It had been the odor of pine needles that had made Colgate decide to go up to the small camp in the Adirondacks. It took him less than a week to make all preparation and locate himself among the songs of the mountain's glory.

He reflected idly that Haggood need not have been ashamed of poetic ravings. There was no living poet who could adequately describe the peculiar charm of Ragged Edge camp. Colgate himself did not try, but the awe-inspiring beauty of the mountain lake at sunset or in the throes of a great storm, the

moonlit balsam grove and the twitter of birds and leaves all steeped in being in a music so rare that Colgate moved about as a man in a dream. He was fearful lest he awake and find himself lying in his flat with the noise of piano player thumping the ceiling above him.

He was the more startled then on a moonlit night to open his eyes slowly after a short siesta among the odoriferous balsam needles to see a slim, daintily clad girl standing gazing down at him.

"You have had quite a long sleep," she said softly. Colgate could not remember having heard a voice so wonderful.

"Who are you and where did you come from?" he questioned, rising quickly to his feet. Though convinced that he was dreaming still Colgate felt a strong desire to test the power of speech.

"If you ask questions I will never come again," was the answer he was given. "So long as your curiosity remains a negative quality I will visit the balsam grove every moonlit evening for half an hour."

"Give me your hand," demanded Colgate breathlessly. "Isn't this rather sudden?" questioned the girl with a soft laugh. "I only want to make sure that you are human," he told her.

"Humph!" murmured the girl, and slipped her fingers into his. He held them.

"Don't!" the girl cried with a startled gasp. Upon her immediate release she turned her emotion to laughter. "Am I human?" she questioned.

"Very, very human," Colgate said. His breath came rather heavily.

"And I will tell you right now that if you intend visiting this grove every moonlit night I will have to be more than human if—"

Mocking laughter rippled from the girl's lips. "In that case you would be as mad as the hero of a song I know. Shall I sing it to you?"

Colgate did not answer before she had burst into the opening phrase of his own ballad, "Moonlight Madness."

"The hero in the song was tempted to kiss the girl's lips because they were so softly red in the moonlight," remarked Colgate. "I am tempted, also, but I am not going to fail."

"That is very nice of you. The composer of that song is no doubt entirely lacking in the romanticism that breathes from his lyrics, a foggy old person who wouldn't kiss a girl if he got a chance." The mocking laugh again fell from her lips, and she drew so near to Colgate that her rhythmic breathing seemed also to be his own.

"I wouldn't tempt him too far if I were you," he said, and smiled down at the girl's upturned face. "You are very, very lovely," he added. "If you laugh again as you laughed just now I think before re-

lating I could compose a ballad called 'Mocking Laughter.'"

The girl heaved a sigh. There was broken melody in her voice.

"I will try to make you live up to a hero of a song, and all you do is think of more songs." She turned away from him. "I am going now and you are not to follow."

Colgate stood still. He had promised. In fancy his body sprang swiftly after her. In fact, he went slowly back to the camp his head swimming with the melody of a new song. His inspiration had returned a thousand fold and intermingled with song and lyric was the fragrance of a girl's hair. His pulses were beating a heavy tattoo, partly because the girl's warm fingers had lingered in his own and partly because the new song was pounding for expression.

It was 5 o'clock in the morning when Colgate threw himself down on his bed, exhausted mentally and physically. The song was finished.

Slim wedges of moonbeams were filtering down through the balsam trees when Colgate waited impatiently for the girl to come.

He was fearful lest she change her mind until his sensitive ears caught the soft swish of paddles mingling with the strains of a second of his songs. He knew then that the girl came by way of the stream that wound its way along the mountain path. He longed to see her in her canoe, but his promise to refrain from questioning held him.

"How do you happen to know all of my songs?" he questioned her by way of greeting.

"You didn't offer to shake hands with me," she pouted.

"No, and I am not going to," Colgate told her.

"Humph!" she laughed, but there

was a shade of tremor in her voice. "You have inspired me to write a very wonderful song," he told her and there was no conceit in his words. "It will resuscitate my wavering reputation."

"Oh! Can I have it first? Please, please let me sing it before any one else!" In her enthusiasm she had put a slim hand on Colgate's arm.

"I have sung all your songs successfully. I do want to have the new one first."

"I can't talk rationally while your hand touches me," he said quietly.

"If you continue to trespass on my coat sleeve you will have to suffer the consequences."

"And what are the consequences?" she asked and withdrew her hand.

"I will tell you before we go back to the city," Colgate answered, and wondered if ever a man in the whole of the world had fallen so suddenly and so wonderfully in love as he said.

"Is there a chance that you know Haggood, of the 'Musical Review'?" he asked her.

The girl laughed. "He is my brother," she said, "and he told me to see that you did not lack inspiration while up here in the mountains. I come here always after the concert season. I do love it—I!" Her voice broke when she saw the expression in Colgate's eyes and she would have fled save that his arms caught her swiftly and held her.

Colgate drew a sharp breath then flung back her head so that the moonlight rested on her lips.

"I am not going to lack inspiration—or love—or any wonderful emotion," he said against her lips, "and you are going to give them to me."

### COUPLE FROM ALASKA WED AT HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Minn., April 16.—(Special.)—Miss Matilda Anderson and Felix Johnson of Klondike, Alaska, were married at the home of the former's sister in Swede Bottom Saturday evening. The bride was attended by Miss Julia Nelson, and Chester Nelson was best man. An elaborate supper was served.

### Local and Personal

Mrs. C. W. Anderson entertained the Croquet club Tuesday afternoon. A musical comedy will soon be put on by Prof. Weld to help the baseball team.

Mrs. C. S. Trask of Caledonia is a guest at C. Wyer's.

Miss Lena Blekum is visiting at Hansel, Iowa.

Miss Helen Nash closed a successful term of school with a picnic last Friday.

Mrs. D. C. Dyer and daughter spent a day at La Crosse. The store of Rowland Bros. has been raised two stories. R. E. Briggs came home from

Rochester for a visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kelly are in Minneapolis in attendance at the wedding of their son Dr. A. Kelly.

Dr. O. F. Fischer returned from Sioux City, Iowa, Thursday. His sister accompanied him.

Mrs. Anton Nelson entertained Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Johnson.

Miss Nettie Platten of Rushford spent Sunday here.

Miss Marion Harris is employed at La Crosse.

Mr. E. Mills is erecting a new bungalow on his lot next to his barber shop.

N. H. Forsythe spent the first of the week in the Twin cities.

Miss Lucy Campbell spent last week at Tomah.

### MILITIA LEARNS TO FLY

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 16.—Two navy aeroplanes are being built by the government for the Cleveland aeronautic corps of the U. S. naval militia, and are expected to soar daily above Lake Erie this summer.

The corps has been in training for several weeks, making frequent trips to Dayton and other cities where aeroplane schools are located, and, in addition, has been given weekly lectures by competent aviation instructors.

### SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR

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This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and youthful appearance within a few days.

### Daddy's Bedtime

Little Boys Who Are Little Soldiers.



"WHAT'S a boy scout, daddy?" asked Jack as he beat Evelyn in the scamper to daddy's knee for the bedtime story.

"A boy scout is a very happy little boy, sonny," answered daddy, pretending to pull Evelyn's hair.

"Why?" asked Jack.

"Because a little boy's chief joy is playing he is a grownup man," replied daddy. "When he's little like you he is happiest while he's pretending, and imagining so hard, that he's all grown up and owns a circus or maybe drives a racing automobile or is a captain of a great ship. But I think many little boys like to imagine themselves great big soldiers."

"The boy scout movement was started by a well known man soldier to let little boys have all the fun of pretending this and at the same time teaching them useful lessons in life so that they will be better men and better citizens of the land they are born in whether they are real soldiers or not."

"The boy scouts are trained like a company of soldiers, and they learn the same lesson that big men soldiers have to learn, the lesson of discipline, which just means obeying orders. They learn that through discipline the big and noble things of life are learned."

"I know a company of boy scouts in a city that have lots of fun. They have regular scout suits so that they can imagine themselves out on the plains with the army, like Buffalo Bill was once upon a time, hunting Indians, and it is lots of fun to do battle and chase Indians."

"But the boy scouts learn that there is lots of fun in something else also."

"What is that, Jack?"

"Why, daddy, I don't know," answered Jack.

"Work!" smiled daddy.

"Oh, daddy," replied Jack, "what's the fun in work?"

"Well, I'll tell you what this company of boy scouts did," replied daddy. "All the boys lived in the city, and every once in awhile they would march out into the country with their captain and lieutenants and other officers, and they built themselves one of the cutest little houses you ever saw on the side of a tall, beautiful hill, and they would camp out there often. Some of the boys would cook and others chop wood, and they divided all the work like that, and it was fun. And in the evenings they would build a campfire and sit around it and tell stories of their deeds."

"Wish I was a boy scout," said Jack.

"You may be some day," daddy told him. "You're too little now, though."



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Notary Public.

CLEAN UP PAINT UP

La Crosse has a lot to be thankful for in the way of natural advantages. Not its strategic location as the center of a fertile territory on a great trade artery, merely, although that is good cause for gratitude to the foresight of the pioneers who chose the site. Partly through his own efforts, in the main due to natural happen-so, we have also one of the prettiest cities along the river or perhaps even in the middle west. Nature has been more than ordinarily generous to La Crosse. La Crosse has accepted the generosity and taken ordered advantage of it with a wise hand. The result is a city that combines, in its public works, great natural and artificial beauty.

But spacious green parks and smooth streets are scarcely more than the skeleton of a city. Having them, it is to be expected that they be kept in order. It is the condition of the privately owned buildings and grounds that bear the imprint of a city's character. Frowzy lawns and dingy houses speak of a shiftless, careless people. Trim green grass and neat homes advertise a citizenry alert and self-respecting.

For this reason THE TRIBUNE heartily endorses the campaign of Health Commissioner Furstman, the mayor and the boy scouts for a general civic housecleaning. Winter has left its mark on us. The new green of our lawns is bringing into disreputable contrast the litter of storm-broken twigs and left-over autumn leaves through which it is sprouting. Our alleys have accumulated mounds of ashes and rubbish. Our buildings are dingy with the winter's trail of storm and smoke. We owe it to ourselves and our city to apply to our exterior surroundings the same

spring renovating process which the housewives are energetically carrying on within doors.

Clean up! Paint up! Rake the lawn and mend the fence. Cart off the ash-heap to the dump and put a coat of paint on the house. Read the mayor's proclamation and act on it. The city's doing its share in the streets and parks. Let's do ours on our own property. It's good business.

TEACHING DELIVERY BOYS THEIR JOB

Attention is called to the excellent work of the La Crosse industrial and continuation schools by a recent article appearing in The National Humane Review, which has the following to say concerning a recent innovation of Principal Thomas G. Sutherland:

"As far as can be learned the director of the industrial or vocational school at La Crosse, Wis., Mr. Thomas G. Sutherland, is the first to make humane instruction a definite part of the curriculum of such a school. His experiment will be followed with a great deal of interest by humanitarians in various parts of the country. If he meets with success it is likely that many other vocational teachers will be glad to make this a regular part of their work."

To those who have followed the work of the industrial and continuation schools here, word that Mr. Sutherland has started something will come as no surprise. His native originality and untiring industry have placed the schools under his direction on a high plane, and the practicality of his ideas and methods is vouched for by the fact that employers are glad to co-operate in his efforts and give preference to his pupils in their plants.

His latest experiment, which he plans to extend into a regular course for delivery boys in the care of horses, treatment of their diseases, feed, housing, bedding, shoeing, etc., as well as in proper methods of caring for and killing poultry, is in line with his previous efforts. It enters a field in which there is beyond question much room and need for improvement. The average city delivery boy brings to his work a profound lack of knowledge which experience does not dispel without burden to his employer. Merchants who employ delivery boys will echo the conclusion of the Humane Review to the article quoted above:

"A course on the care and treatment of dumb animals would be a positive help to the boys, both from a practical and ethical standpoint."

Probably nothing would afford the small boy more pleasure than the privilege of assuming the role of father to the man occasionally.

No man can ever gain a practical knowledge of the world by pursuing his studies in a rocking chair.

Higher education teaches us that the faculty will stand a good deal from a competent athlete.

A girl always tells a young man she can cook—and she always tells other girls that she can't.

The only time some fellows are never behind time is when it's time to quit.

Only a bachelor knows that it's the easiest thing in the world to manage a wife.

TODAY'S ODDEST STORY

TAMAQUA, Pa., April 16 —While leaning against a radiator in the bar room, in which he is employed as a bartender, Frank Kershner was seized with a violent spasm of sneezing, which resulted in the dislocation of his right shoulder. Mr. Kershner had been the victim of these involuntary convulsions a number of times heretofore, and on each occasion the dislocation of his shoulder resulted.

It is a good many people drop in to point out to me that such a decoration is not in good taste, or to urge some other color, or something that-a-way. And they usually remain long enough to spend a dollar or two before I am thoroughly convinced.

"Persons with literary talent, and occasionally a real writer, come along and suspect me of being a character, and board here, while studying me. As a matter of fact, a drummer gave me a can of purple paint out of his samples and I didn't know what else to do with it."

—Woman's Home Companion.

Nobody at Home

William Dean Howells at a dinner in Boston said of modern American letters:

"The average popular novel shows on the novelist's part an ignorance of his trade which reminds me of a New England clerk."

"In a New England village I entered the main street department store one afternoon and said to the clerk at the book counter:

"Let me have, please, the 'Letters of Charles Lamb.'"

"Postoffice right across the street, Mr. Lamb," said the clerk, with a naive, brisk smile."

Sounds Like It

Little Robert—Ma, was Robinson Crusoe an acrobat?

Mother—I don't know. Why?

Little Robert—Well, here it reads that after he had finished his day's work, he sat down on his chest.—Judge.

About So Far!

"Pop?"

"Yes, Rollo."

"How far is a 'far cry'?"

May Be, May Be

He—I wonder what the meaning of that picture is? The youth and the maiden are in a tender attitude.

She—Oh, don't you see? He has just asked her to marry him. How sweet! What does the artist call the picture?

He (looking about)—Oh, I see—it's written on the card at the bottom—"Sold."

'Nother Neutrality Bug

Crawford—I understand that his matrimonial difficulties have been settled.

Crabshaw—Yes; wife's relatives have agreed to maintain strict neutrality.—Life.

Would Conserve Energies

"James, dear," said a careful mother to her seven-year-old insurgent, "your uncle Edward will be here for dinner today. Be sure to wash your face and hands clean."

"Yes, mother—hesitatingly—"but suppose he doesn't come?"

CONFESSES ROBBING BROTHER

ANTIGO, Wis., April 16.—Louis Vanooeyen was alleged by the police today to have confessed that he helped rob his brother's saloon here Tuesday night. He and Albert Miller, an alleged accomplice, are under arrest. Another saloon was broken into but the combined loot was only \$16.

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Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

The Ugly Gink

Good looks don't buy the girl on a stick.

Nor handsome eyes the coal; A man whose face a clock would stop is generally up near the top.

And reaches first the goal.

The gawky kid with flaming hair

We used to guy in school, Knew not the joy that beauty brings,

But when it came to learning things He never was a fool.

The prettiest young girl in town

Was proud to be his wife; He owns a bank, a railroad line, A gas plant and a copper mine, And is well fixed in life.

The pretty boys with curly hair

Who got kind words on every hand,

Are selling soap from door to door, Or clerking in a dry goods store, Or managing a peanut stand.

Mark of Distinction

"Well, yes," confessed the landlord of Periwinkle tavern, "it is an idea of a purple stripe all around the hotel at the top of the first story. You see, there wouldn't otherwise be anything to distinguish this particular inn from thousands of others. As

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Justice of the Peace.

THE RED MIRAGE

By I. A. R. WYLIE

Author of The Native Born, The Daughter of Brahma, Etc.

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"You have changed, Desire. What has happened in these days? Has there been no comfort for you?"

His eyes opened. He threw back his head so that they looked each other in the face.

"I tried to kill him," he said quietly but distinctly, "and I mean to kill him. That is the only change."

"Is that any change? Has it taught your fair, pure young wife to love and honor you?" He ground his teeth together without answering, and she went on, her voice grown suddenly harsh and contemptuous.

"You are a fool, Desire. You are a fool, like all men. What is there in this one woman that you should care? She is pretty, but others are prettier. I have seen her, for it amused me to have a glance at the wonder who could drive two men to the devil. And what is she? A charming doll with a child's eyes and a sparrow's brain. What else—"

The girl rose. She took one of the long-stemmed pipes from the table and lighted it at the brazier. The red embers glowed up on her face, where was written a somber inscrutable bitterness. She came back and placed the pipe in his inert hand.

"There!" she said simply. "That is what you have come for. Forgetfulness."

He nodded. Silently he covered back among the ragged cushions and with half-closed eyes began to smoke.

In the hovel there was perfect silence. As the minutes passed the subtle magic perfume sleeping beneath the rank sweetness awoke, the lurking dreams and fancies came out from among their shadows and moved lightly to and fro in the brightening circle of firelight. Ar-naud smiled wistfully at them. Little by little the terrible lines of pain drawn about his features passed, leaving them a white peace. A sigh broke from his loosely parted lips.

"Sylvia—Sylvia—my wife."

His head dropped back—the

strange-stemmed pipe slipped from his powerless fingers and fell with a soft thud to the floor. The woman bent over him and kissed him. A single tear, drawn from a well of savage pity, had dropped on the untroubled brow.

"God of our fathers," she whispered from between clenched teeth, "Thou knowest I am bad—rotten to the heart—but Thou knowest also I am not so bad as the woman who sent this man to me."

She knelt down, and with her dark head against the sleeper's knee watched and waited.

All was quiet. But on the other side of the curtain an Arab crouching beside the brazier awoke. There was a slight smile about his lips as though his dreams had brought him food for amused reflection, and with a quick glance at his motionless companion he got up and slipped out into the street. It was now toward evening and the great heat of the day was broken.

The Arab from the Cafe de Tonkin kept to the quieter side of the broad avenues. He had wrapped his burmooose carefully about him, and kept his head bent as though absorbed in deep thought. Only when the soft rattle of a bayonet or the jingle of spurs broke the stillness he looked up and shot a curious furtive glance at the passer-by. He walked slowly, impeded by a slight malformation of his right foot, but his manner suggested purpose, and gradually he left the town behind him and entered the residential quarter. Opposite a white-walled villa he came to a halt. Evidently a smartly appointed dog-cart, held in readiness by a native coachman, caught his attention, and a minute later he was hurrying across the road, his hands lifted in exclamatory delight.

"By the name of the Prophet! Is it not Ali-Mahomed who stands before mine eyes?"

"God be praised! Is it thou, Abou-Yakoud?"

They embraced effusively, like old friends long parted, with a slight condensation on the part of the newcomer, who permitted himself to be kissed on the elbow, returning the salutation on the younger Arab's brow.

"Allah hath dealt strangely with thee, oh, Ali-Mahomed!" he said with faint reproach. "Thou, who are son of a great sheik, servest now a Roumi and wearest a Roumi's sign of bondage. Has the desert no longer her son, oh, Ali-Mahomed?"

The young man shrugged his shoulders.

"The tribe is dispersed," he said sullenly. "It is the will of Allah."

"And is it to be ever thus?"

"How should I know? Can I read the stars?"

Ali-Mahomed patted his horse's neck with an air of studied indifference. His dark fine-featured face had become blank and impassive. The man beside him stroked his gray beard reflectively.

"Dost thou remember that night in the oasis of Figulg?" he said, in a thoughtful undertone. "The moon shone, and by her light I told thee part of the fate that Allah has written for thee in the palm of thine hand. Shall I read again?"

The young man glanced quickly

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around him, then at Abou-Yakoud's grave face. There was fear, curiosity and a smothered excitement in the rapid scrutiny.

"So be it," he said. "Thy words were true, oh, friend. Read thou further."

He extended his brown, well-shaped hand, and the old Arab took it and bent over it. There was a moment's thoughtful silence. Abou-Yakoud looked up.

"Thou wilt return to thy tribe ere Ramadan is ended," he said softly. "Oh, Ali-Mahomed, thy father's arms will be open to receive thee, and the weakness that was will have become strength. Deep are thy thoughts, friend, and thy spirit is the spirit of a lion in bondage. The hour is near when the spirit will have become mightier than the chains, when the son of the desert will go forth under the shadow of Allah—"

"I bid thee be silent!" The hand was wrenched free and gripped the old man's shoulder. "Be silent! Is this the desert? Have not the doors ears and the windows eyes?"

"Of what art thou afraid?"

"Thou knowest. Yet speak on. What more is written?"

Abou-Yakoud shook his head.

"Deep are thy thoughts, oh, Ali-Mahomed," he said, "but the thoughts of Allah are deeper, and when Fate nears us her shadow darkens our eyes. I can read no more, but what is to be will be. It is written—Behold, thy mistress cometh. I will go on before her. The mind of a woman is a curious thing, friend. It is forever seeking the future, forever playing with the mysteries of God. And it is well so. For we to whom Allah has granted light must live. He drew his dirty white robe closer about him. 'God be with thee, friend.'"

(To be Continued.)

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TOMORROW

NORMAL AUDITORIUM

"S'MATTER POP?"

I WUZ JUST READIN ABOUT A RULE THAT HAS NO EXCEPTION

A MAN HEZ INVARIABLY GOTTA BE PRESENT WHEN HE'S BEING SHAVED

BUT ON THE OTHER HAND A MAN CAN BE SKINNED AN NOT EVEN BE IN THA NEIGHBORHOOD

S'MATTER POP?

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### Special Values in High Class Suits

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In gabardines, poplins, serges, silks, black and white checks, mode and other leading fabrics, in navy blue, black, putty, Palm Beach and Exposition blue.

### Charming Frocks and Gowns

for Afternoon, Party and Dance, at

**\$19.50, \$25.00, \$35.00**

In silks, pussy willow, crepe, Georgette, crepe de chine taffetas and poplins.

### New Blouses in Endless Variety

Special values at

**95c, \$1.35, \$2.50, \$3.95, \$5.95 and \$8.75**

In lingerie, crepe de chine, Georgette crepe, China silks, etc. All shades.

### New Separate Skirts

In wool, silk and checks at

**\$5.00, \$6.75 and \$10.00**

## STRONG BILL IS MARKED BY TWO BIG MUSICAL ACTS

Don Alfonso Zelaya Master  
of Piano; Williams and  
Rankin Win Much Ap-  
plause on Trumpets

Headed by Don Alfonso Zelaya, a wonderful pianist, whose father was formerly president of the Central American state of Nicaragua, the majestic bill which closes this week is one of the strongest that has appeared all season. It is made up of acts each distinctly above the average of its kind, and has laughs and to spare as well as two reasonable musical performances.

Zelaya, a plump, good-natured looking man of Spanish type, is a master of the piano. His program, which, by the way, will be changed daily during his three day engagement, is mainly classic. Last night he executed a Liszt concerto and Cervantes' Spanish Bolero for his major efforts with surprising artistry and technique. For a lighter offering he performed a delicious burlesque on the eccentric musician of vaudeville, giving, incidentally, a surprising rendition of some popular American songs. As a final number, he played Nevins' familiar Rosary, faultlessly, although he used only his left hand.

Quick action and a unique situation combined with sterling histrionic ability to make "A Business Proposal," Chauncey Monroe's one act comedy, a most enjoyable affair. It deals with the efforts of a bluff, hearty business hustler to marry his bookkeeper to his stenographer. Mr. Monroe, as the bookkeeper, was excruciatingly lank and nervous, and both Will Chatterton and Winifred Wellington carried their rather difficult roles in good style. The plot of the sketch is uniqueness itself, and it kept the house in a gale of laughter.

Equally proficient on trumpet, bugle or cornet, as well as an old instrument of original design, Ernie Williams and Katherine Rankin demonstrated to an appreciative audience yesterday why they enjoy the title of the world's premier cornetists. They played the most difficult solo numbers in truly remarkable form, and a couple of duets which brought a storm of applause. They were encored repeatedly.

John Keit and Frank De Mont have what might be called a double barreled act. They have a rapid-fire dialogue that gets across in great shape, and they further astonish the house with a collection of acrobatic and balancing feats, not to mention some clever eccentric dancing. The dialogue and the other stunts take place simultaneously in a unique and hugely enjoyable fashion.

Another big laugh act is "Billy Bouncer's Circus," which features a trampoline performer of class. The fun in the act comes with an amateur bounding contest of spectators invited from the audience.

### SURE SIGN OF SPRING

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 16.—Judge Joseph Buffington put out the wood fires in his chambers in the federal building here this afternoon, stored an old English teapot and November's chill blast shall have come again and officials there, friends of the judge and reporters on the "central beat," knew that spring had arrived.

From mid-November to mid-April the judge reads his open grate from a pile of cut wood placed each morning just without the chambers' door, keeps the teapot boiling above the cheerful blaze and for his visitors brews as fine a tea as may be had in any of New York's celebrated "chop sueys."

### Politeness Ill Rewarded.

"A man kin be too polite an' oblige in," said Uncle Eben. "I know a man dat stood wifout kickin' while his wife dressed him up in a fancy lounge coat an' a gorgeous necktie an' a smokin' cap. Den she inspected him an' decided dat she couldn't live wif such a lookin' man, nohow."

### War Oddities

LONDON.—A cotton material known as "Joffre" is a popular spring fabric in England and a favorite color is "Petrograd blue."

LONDON.—A British military bandman who suffered asphasia

## FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription ointment—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of ointment—double strength—from O. T. Erhart or any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength ointment as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

when burned by a shell explosion at Ypres recovered his memory by reading a sheet of music placed on his bed.

BATAVIA.—The commander-in-chief of the army in the Dutch Indies has forbidden bands to play "It's a Long Way to Tipperary."

COPENHAGEN.—A report from Berlin declared the United States consul general had ordered menus from all Munich restaurants to send to America to disprove German starvation newspaper reports printed there.

LONDON.—A British "Tommy" writing from the trenches in France thanked a London newspaper for sending cigarettes and added: "The French 'fags (cigarettes) are simply awful."

AMSTERDAM.—British soldiers interned at Groningen gave such a creditable vaudeville performance for the benefit of companions that they were asked to appear at the municipal theater. The "debut" was a hit.

BERNE.—The Swiss watch and clock industry has suffered a loss of \$15,000,000 in revenues since the beginning of the European war.

AMSTERDAM.—A Dutch newspaper correspondent wrote a letter to

a friend in Liege, Belgium. German post authorities returned it inscribed: "Liege unknown. Correct address: Lutich, Prussia, Germany." This is the new German name for "Liege."

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE.—Fourteen thousand Northumberland miners are now wearing the British uniform leaving the coal mines to take care of themselves.

LONDON.—A facetious employee of the London office of public records decorated the office cat with a German Iron cross which had been brought from one of the battlefields.

BERLIN.—Berlin newspaper suggests that there are 20,000,000 pigs in Germany who are robbing the people of their food and urges the government to kill and pickle them.

AMSTERDAM.—A German newspaper advertising for a new editor stated that owing to war and the depleted condition of the staff, the editor's hours would necessarily be from 4 a. m. to 10 p. m.

### EXPO GOLF TOURNEY

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 16.—Entries for the exposition golf tournament closed today. The tournament will include open and amateur events covering individual medal play.

### HAVRE DE GRACE RACES OPEN

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md., April 16.—The real 1915 spring racing season of the north is on today at the Havre de Grace tracks, with a big attendance of track followers from Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington present. The inaugural handicap was the big feature of today's card.

### Helms Got Three Cents More.

Once a tightwad went to the store to get a piece of rope. The storekeeper sold him rope at eight cents per pound. Mr. Tightwad said as he only wanted to tie up a calf he would take five cents worth. He got the rope. That evening his folks found him hanging in the barn dead.

### PERFORMER WILL USE BERGONZI VIOLIN WHICH IS DATED 1783

Mr. and Mrs. Voelker Coming to Majestic Next Week With Charming Musical Comedietta "Music Hath Charms"

A Bergonzi violin made in the year 1783 and a bow from the workshop of the Frenchman Tourte are among the interesting possessions of Fred Voelker, and will be seen at the Majestic next week when Mr. and Mrs. F. Voelker appear in their

### FOOD SOURING IN STOMACH CAUSES INDIGESTION, GAS

"Pape's Diapiesin" ends all stomach distress in five minutes.

Wonder what upset your stomach—what portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt: if sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapiesin and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapiesin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapiesin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it digests food and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Please, for your sake, don't go on and on with a weak, disordered stomach; it's so unnecessary,

unique musical comedietta, "Music Hath Charms." The bow was formerly the property of Pablo de Sarasate, the famous Spanish violin virtuoso, who was Mr. Voelker's teacher.

During the period when Voelker was concert master of the symphony orchestra in Frankfurt, Germany, walking tours were much in vogue. These tours were extended into Holland, Belgium, Austria and Italy. Having had many adventures during one such expedition to Italy, Mr. Voelker found himself one day in Venice, financially embarrassed.

Feeling sure he would not be recognized he stood in St. Mark's square and played. The square, as usual, was thronged, and Voelker's success was immediate, but in the crowd was an official, the German consul, who asked his plight. The explanation of his momentary embarrassment resulted in letters of introduction to some of Italy's most famous musicians, including Verdi and Bazzini.

Suggestions from the foregoing incident form the basis of the story told by the comedietta. The stage setting of the piece is elaborate, built from designs by Mrs. Voelker. The gowns are by Muldon of New York.

### NORTHERN GOLF SEASON OPENS

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 16.—The curtain raiser of the northern golf season is the tournament now on at the Seaview Golf club. It will close Saturday and pave the way for the inaugural spring fixture at the Lakewood Country club. Outmet, Chick Evans and Jerome D. Travers were expected to clash in both opening tournaments.

### Cheap Witticisms.

It were well if the so-called "clever story writer," who, too often, is the chief nuisance of the manuscript editor of all magazines, could be brought to a realization that mere exaggeration and disgusting incidents are not "fun"; it would save postage and lessen the certainty of rejections.—National Magazine.

### TREATMENT BY WIRE

ST. PAUL, April 16.—A. Rothstein of New York today advises diagnosis by telegraph. Unable to get relief from local physicians, he wired his New York physician his symptoms. Promptly a prescription was wired back. Rothstein took the medicine and was relieved.

### Contrary.

"That is an impudent boy, isn't he?" "Yes; always coming forward with back talk."—Baltimore American.

## Gets Right Twist On Rheumatism

Makes Short Work of Cleaning Out Your Entire System—Aches and Pains Go Fast.



In S. S. S. You Get a Twist on Rheumatism that Settles It.

Many a rheumatic sufferer has been to the drug store for a bottle of S. S. S. and been handed something claimed to be "Just as good." Truly, to ask for bread and be given a stone is still in practice. If you are troubled with rheumatism in any form be sure to use S. S. S. and note its wonderful influence.

S. S. S. has the peculiar action of soaking through the intestines directly into the blood. In five minutes its influence is at work in every artery, vein and tiny capillary. Every membrane, every organ of the body, every emunctory becomes in effect a filter to strain the blood of impurities. The stimulating properties of S. S. S. compel all work to the one end of casting out every irritating, every painful, every poisonous, every acid, every acid accretion to dissolve, renders

them neutral and scatters those peculiar formations in the nerve centers that cause such mystifying and often baffling rheumatic pains.

And best of all this remarkable remedy is welcome to the weakest stomach. If you have drugged yourself until your stomach is nearly paralyzed, you will be astonished to find that S. S. S. gives no sensation but goes right to work. It is because it is a pure vegetable infusion, is taken naturally into your blood just as pure air is inhaled naturally into your lungs.

Get a Bottle of S. S. S. today, and ask for S. S. S.

You may depend upon it that the store that sells you what you ask for is a good place to trade. Write to the Sew-  
Specific Co., 204 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. for their Book on Rheumatism.

### Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*



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We hope to see you at our store this week, the earlier the better, to secure choicest selection. If not convenient to make a payment now we wish to advise you that you can have your piano delivered at once, making your first payment May 1st if you like.

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La Crosse, Wis.

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WE HAVE made deep cuts on every instrument in stock and in order to create lively buying, we have secured permission from headquarters to deliver a piano or player WITHOUT A CENT AS DOWN PAYMENT. Come in and get the instrument of your choice, we'll deliver and you can commence paying JUNE 1st.

## Startling Extra Reductions During Next Six Days

DURING the next six days we will make many extra reductions. We have set a mark for April and we want to place at least 100 instruments, Pianos and Players, and we are offering them at regular dealer prices. La Crosse never before has seen such bargains, and when you stop and consider the sensational terms we offer—Buying Becomes a Duty! Come in Tonight and pick out the Piano and Player you want—HAPPYIZE YOUR HOME—and save from \$100 to \$200 on your purchase. We know there are enough buyers in La Crosse and vicinity who will appreciate these bargains, so we urge you to hesitate no longer, but come in as soon as you can, before the best are picked off.

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Advantages of this Sale. *Get Your* **PIANO NOW**

The Columbia Boudoir Player will  
Give You 365 Happy Days a Year  
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**\$200**

Handsone, Sturdy Instrument, Fully Guaranteed.  
BENCH AND MUSIC FREE.

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Beautiful new uprights, specially reduced to \$87, \$100 and \$137, that are really marvels for beauty of tone, workmanship, and cannot help but appeal for their qualities. Each means a bona fide saving of at least \$100 and terms are

As low as \$5 a month.

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Several 88 note style Player Pianos \$248 and \$337. The reductions on styles selling regularly for \$400 and \$550. For liberal buying applies to Players as well as Pianos. With each Player goes a bench to match and music, and terms are

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## SUBMARINE HAT APPEARS IN LONDON

BY MARGARET MASON  
(Written for the United Press.)  
A new hat is the submarine. A shipshape hat it is I ween, Yet inconsistent it behaves— It always rests above the waves.

LONDON, April 3.—By Mail to New York.—Ye ho! there, my hearties! There's a crafty little new chapeau in the port of Fashion. Though it's dubbed the submarine it refused to be submerged and partly rides the crests of sleek coiffed heads and nestles snugly atop the Marcel waves of all the smartest dressers.

In its original form it is a close fitting elongated turban (not turbine) of tube straw in a Bordeaux color with an astonishingly long

cross algrette jutting up almost perpendicularly. As the submarine hat like all the others of the moment, is worn rakishly tilted well down over the right eye, it brings the algrette to a most distressing angle for unfortunate adjacent fellow beings. Mayhap this is where it gets one of its reasons for being christened in honor of an undersea destroyer.

Another new hat fancy is the pany bonnet. Shakespeare's Ophelia said pansies were for thought so the modern maid whose only and every thought is for Fashion says pansies are for hats and there they are.

Wonderfully realistic replicas they are of nature's most piquant flower and they bloom in purple profusion around the tiny toques and turbans of purpleish taupe and tete de nigre straw which have superseded the all black straws for wear with sweet and informal costumes.

One adorable model of mauve taupe is of the tiny and elongated

shape similar to the submarine. It has a soft crown of the same toned satin and banding its brimless outline are exquisite pansies shading from deepest velvety purple and wine to light lavender with an occasional little sunny yellow faced one peering out coquettishly.

Algrettes flourish with undiminished popularity on this side of the water. What can the lives of a few birds more or less matter in countries where human life is at present being sacrificed so ruthlessly?

Every hat that does not bloom with pansies sprouts algrettes in some form or other. No wonder the algrettes are usually "cross."

The extremely inadequate evening gowns have been appropriately christened "spy" gowns. After all there is something in a name. In this case much more than is in the dress. The three tiered skirts that are also the whim of the moment are called "The Allies," and some even go so far as to show a tiny embroidered flag of the three nations, one each embroidered on a tier. There is really a touch of embroidery on almost everything and designs of colored bead work are also having their ornate effect on many of the newest model frocks. Beaded bags are playing a return date but this season they are made of larger wooden beads in neutral tints of grey, taupe or black and white.

Perhaps under the head of beads would come the earnings now dangling from some of our very best ears. They are simply a sphere of clouded amber swinging from the aural appendage by a slender golden chain. Of course other semi-precious stones are used to form the spheres and different color schemes are obtained

with balls of jade, lapis lazuli and jet or crystal. It is the yellow touch of the amber, however, that holds the most ears in its fetching way.

To show your heels is a sign of bravado these days since to be well heeled is to be heeled in brightest hues. Red heels, green heels, white heels and silver heels add bright flashes of color under the full abbreviated skirts. It would seem as if an ordinary plain black heel were a thing to be despised. Silver sandals with a strap across the instep fastening with a glistening buckle of precious stones to match the costume are most alluring for evening wear. They are especially fascinating when the more conventional buckle is replaced by a scintillating

dragon fly or flower poised airily on a hidden spring which gleams and trembles enchantingly with the least tripping of the light fantastic.

Indeed it would take a color smith not a blacksmith to show all the racy little fillies in the track of fashion this spring and summer season of 1915.

## JUDGE DECLARES PASTOR PERJURER

CADILLAC, Mich., April 16.—Charges of perjury against Rev. Charles C. Berger, elder of the Columbus, Ohio, district Evangelical association, were made in a communication to the Wexford county supervisors by Probate Judge Fred M. Breen, who declared the Ohio churchman endeavored by misstatements to share in a \$5,000 estate left by Clark Walters of this city, who was killed in a wreck in 1912.

Judge Breen stated Berger swore under oath that Walters left no heirs, while knowing at the time that he left three half brothers and sisters. Berger claimed a share in the estate on the ground that his parents had adopted Walters.

This claim Judge Breen said, has been disproved. The court asked the supervisors to guarantee the expense of prosecuting Elder Berger.

## PUBLIC GOLF LINKS OPEN

NEW YORK, April 16.—Gotham's big public golf links were opened today, with tournaments and other appropriate exercises. The Van Cortlandt Park, Moshulu and Pelham courses are said to be among the finest public links in the world.

## BERSAGLIERI DRILL AT DOUBLE IN WAR CAMPS OF ITALY

"Who Knows?" Say Officers and Drive Troops to Be Ready for What May Come

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
VENTIMIGLIA, Italy, March 23.—(By Mail to New York.)—Is Italy coming into the war?

This question was put to an Italian army officer here this afternoon as he stood on the drill grounds watching his regiment of Bersaglieri going through its paces. He did not reply immediately. He seemed to be turning something over in his mind. Then he faced the questioner.

"Chi lo sa?" (Who knows?)  
A shrug of the shoulders accompanied the words, a gesture that told more than the verbal answer. One interpreted it to mean that Italy has been balancing so long now it would be useless to risk further guesses.

In the meantime troops are being drilled like mad. On the parade ground here—ordinarily just a grassy field bordering the short, pebbly beach on the Mediterranean—a regiment of Italy's crack troops was being instructed in the latest war tactics. Drill sergeants worked men in squads, chasing them all over the place at the terrific pace which makes of the bersaglieri the fastest marching body of troops in the world—nearly 180 steps to the minute, or as fast as a human can walk without breaking into a run. To keep them in step, the sergeant followed at their side, saying something which sounded like: "Hunch-gwee, hunch-gwee, hunch-gwee," with the accent on the "gwee."

The bersaglieri step is said to have had its source in the brain of Napoleon, who once won a battle because he knew how fast every army in Europe marched. He figured that if the English step was 110 to the minute, the Russian 115, the Austrian 120, and so on, and that his army marched at the rate of 130 steps to the minute, he would arrive at a certain place before the enemy. He did arrive first and because he did, he won the battle. The Italians are said to have speeded up the bersaglieri, making the double quick step the ordinary one, because of this victory of Napoleon.

After each drill sergeant had put his squad through its paces, the squads would be combined into companies and maneuvered all over again. After this followed battalion and regiment maneuvers, officers now and then taking command of a unit without warning and drilling them to do all manner of sham fighting in response to their tiny silver whistles.

"Toot!" shrills the little whistle. The bersaglieri come to attention. "Toot!"—they fix bayonets. "Toot!"—they shoulder their guns. "Toot!" they begin to march—"Hunch-gwee," "Hunch-gwee," "Hunch-gwee." "Toot!" They form in a single file. "Toot!" they kneel. "Toot!" they fire. "Toot!" they charge bayonets with yells calculated to frighten the enemy to death. Then the officer saunters away to other perspiring troops.

Perhaps there are in Italy a few men who know exactly what Italy is going to do, but certainly the man in the street does not have the slightest idea. Ask him and he replies plies like the army officer replied: with a shrug of his shoulders and something which sounds like "Kee-lost!" But after seeing all the military preparations, the casual traveler can't help feeling that the bersaglieri may not know where they are going—but they are on their way.

## COURT ORDERS ACQUITTAL

ANTIGO, Wis., April 16.—Frank Congleton today was acquitted of the murder of William La Belle, an Indian, when the court directed the jury to return a verdict to that effect. James Poler, Jr., and Indian witness, was arrested on a charge of intimidation of witnesses. Lester Monray, another Indian, made the charge against him.

## Ho—Hum! Wash Day's Easy Now

Just Soak Your Clothes, Add Three Teaspoons of "SKITCH," Boil 20 Minutes, Blue and You're Through.



Never a washing so big or so dirty that it need tire you now! SKITCH will handle the biggest, dirtiest wash that ever was.

You just use three teaspoonfuls of SKITCH to a boilerful of clothes. Don't rub, don't worry! SKITCH just skitches the dirt out better than you could rub it out on a washboard. Saves enough soap on every wash to pay for the whole package.

SKITCH can't hurt the finest fabric ever woven. It's so harmless it wouldn't hurt your stomach if you ate it. Get a 10-cent package of SKITCH of your grocer and throw washboards away. Almost all dealers have SKITCH—if yours doesn't, send me his name and I'll send you a sample of SKITCH free. HANS FICHTENBERG, 211 Grand Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

## GERMANY WIDELY ANGRY AT U. S.

LONDON, April 2.—(By Mail to New York.)—Widespread anger against America prevails everywhere in Germany; England is the object of intense hatred; France is pitied and Russia is regarded as merely stupid and inferior, according to David Gradwohl of San Francisco.

Gradwohl has just returned from a visit to Leipzig, Nurnberg, Sonneberg and Berlin as a buyer of toys. The sale of ammunition by American firms to the allies has aroused a bitter feeling that has penetrated into every part of Germany, he said. There is no truth in the report that Germany is nearing starvation, Gradwohl said. Likewise stories that Germany has exhausted her draft of men of military age, he declared to be inventions.

Sheepskin. Sheepskin is very adaptable and is used as a substitute for almost every other kind of leather.

## SIMPLE APPLICATION THAT DISSOLVES BLACKHEADS

No more squeezing and pinching to get rid of those unsightly blemishes, blackheads. There is one simple, safe and sure way to get them out and that is to dissolve them. To do this just get about two ounces of powdered norexin from your druggist—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet sponge—rub briskly over the blackheads for a few seconds—wash the parts and every blackhead will be gone.

Pinching and squeezing out blackheads make large pores and you cannot get all of the blackheads out this way—while this simple application of powdered norexin and water dissolves every particle of them and leaves the skin and pores in their natural condition. Any druggist will sell you the powdered norexin and about two ounces will be all you will ever need.



PURITY AND HEALTH

The majority of diseases are the result of malnutrition, or poorly fed bodies, caused by the stomach improperly performing its duties; hence the system does not derive the full benefit it should from the food taken by the individual.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey being an all liquid food, distilled absolutely from malted grain, containing nothing but the very soul of the grain, is ideal for the purpose of rebuilding the system. Taken in tablespoon doses in an equal amount of water just before meals, it assists in keeping healthy the essential function of digestion because it induces activity in the flow of gastric juices so the food you eat will digest naturally, Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is a dependable medicine for emergencies and should be in every home. Get it today.

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**SHOE POLISHES**

THE GREAT HOME POLISHES—IN EASY-OPENING BOX



# The Silent Plea

Three part Broadway Star Feature.

This is the picture that is being shown throughout the country in order to awaken interest in the proposed legislation to have the state allow the widowed mothers the amounts it would cost to keep the children in an orphanage. The story told in the pictures is tensely dramatic and will hold the spectator to the very last.

Mr. Harry Morley and Miss Edith Storey play the leading roles.

**A VITAGRAPH COMEDY**  
featuring  
**TODAY ONLY MISS LILLIAN WALKER TODAY ONLY**  
is also shown.  
**THE CASINO**

## ORGANIZED CAMPAIGN TO FORCE INTERVENTION IN MEXICO RESUMED

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Evidences multiplied today in the view of officials that an organized campaign designed to force intervention in Mexico has again been commenced. All the embassies and legations here have been deluged with affidavits and reports asserting that absolute anarchy prevails. Specific instances of murder, robbery and abuse are cited. The whole report comes from the international committee recently formed at Mexico City.

### BUILDING HALTS CARPENTERS STRIKE

CHICAGO, April 16.—Work on \$30,000,000 or more of building construction throughout Chicago was at a complete standstill today, due to the strike of between 15,000 and 18,000 union carpenters. The official notification to the employers that the strike was on to a bitter end came today. The men's demand for an increase from 65 to 70 cents an hour was met by a counter proposal of an increase to 67 1/2 cents after eighteen months. The men refused.

### WIFE DIVORCES ROGERS

NEW YORK, April 16.—Within ten days Loris Elton Rogers, lawyer-lover of Mrs. Ida Sniffon Walters, will be free to marry the woman who poisoned the two nameless babies she bore him. Justice Giegerich indicated today, after taking brief testimony, that he will grant an absolute divorce to Mrs. Caroline Giddings Rogers, the attorney's wife, and a sister of a prominent Columbia university professor.

### MEXICO CITY IS AGAIN IN FAMINE

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The Mexico City food supply was again causing serious concern today. Duval West, President Wilson's representative, wired Secretary Bryan that prices were soaring, and the supply even at legations and embassies was short. He feared anti-foreign demonstrations.

Secretary Bryan telegraphed Consul Silliman at Vera Cruz to ask Gen. Carranza to permit forwarding of food supplies.

### PLAN WORLD COURT CONGRESS

NEW YORK, April 16.—Plans for a world court congress to be held at Cleveland May 12, 13 and 14 were completed today by the world court committee, composed of representatives of commerce and civic organizations. Among those who have agreed to address the congress are William Howard Taft, former Judge Alton B. Parker, Senator Sherman of Illinois and Senator Harding of Ohio.

Woman College President Receives \$10,000,000



Miss Mary Carey Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr college, will receive the bulk of the \$10,000,000 estate left by her friend, Miss Mary Elizabeth Garrett, who was the daughter of John W. Garrett, late president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, according to the will probated in Baltimore.

## BOOSTERS TO MEET TO DISCUSS PLAN FOR CIVIC BODY

Consolidation of Eleven Small Organizations to Be Suggested at Dinner This Evening

Whether or not La Crosse will have one mammoth organization composed of the eleven civic, commercial and professional societies and clubs of the city, will be decided upon tonight at a meeting of three representatives from each of eleven organizations.

The organizations to be represented are the La Crosse District Medical association, the Retail Druggists' association, the La Crosse Retail Merchants' association, the La Crosse Dental society, the La Crosse Bar association, the North Side Progressive league, the La Crosse Manufacturers' and Jobbers' club, the La Crosse Retail Butchers' association, the La Crosse Board of Trade, the La Crosse Bankers' association and the La Crosse Retail Grocers' association.

As pointed out by Secretary C. S. Van Auker of the La Crosse Board of Trade, should the organizations represented adopt the plan, several months will be necessary to perfect them into a unit.

The plan grew out of a recommendation by James R. Kinsloe of the Winona Association of Commerce who spoke at the annual meeting of the Board of Trade. The call for the mass meeting was made by that organization.

## NIGHT RAID IS FOLLOWED BY A DASH OF TAUBES

(Continued from Page One.)

ers were summoned to the admiralty early today for a conference on defense. Special constables were ordered to go on patrol duty at the outskirts of the city at dusk tonight. The authorities were busy making final preparations to beat off another expected attack from the skies.

Second Raid Last Night  
Two and possibly three Zeppelins participated in a raid over Essex and Suffolk early today, in which a woman and a girl were injured and property damage estimated at \$150,000 was done. One of the sky monsters crossed the Thames eleven miles from London, according to an official report to the admiralty today. The admiralty is convinced that the airships were reconnoitering and picking the best route for a raid on the British capital.

One of the Zeppelin raiders, returning to Germany, was sighted fifteen miles off the Dutch coast at 5 a. m. today by the Norwegian steamer Dag, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam.

Twelve cities, all within a radius of seventy miles of London were visited by the Zeppelins. Six of them were bombed by explosive and incendiary shells. Three bombs were dropped near the Henham hall residence of the Earl and Countess of Stradbroke, near Southwold. Henham hall has been converted into a hospital for British wounded. The bombs exploded with sharp crashes within fifty yards of the building but did no damage.

Timber Yard is Fired  
The greatest destruction was done at Lowestoft, 100 miles northeast of London, on the sea coast. A big timber yard was fired by an incendiary bomb and burned for nine hours, the blast threatening to spread to other buildings. The loss was estimated at \$100,000.

Each of the Zeppelin raiders appeared off the east coast at about the same hour, according to information received here today. The first was reported approaching Harwich, in Essex, sixty-four miles northeast of London. The airship passed over Harwich, Felixstow and Ipswich, without dropping any bombs, but descending so low that the whirr of her propellers was plainly heard.

An hour later, Southwold reported that a Zeppelin hovered the city for half an hour, bombarding the residence of Earl Stradbroke. Before leaving the airship's crew threw a bomb that destroyed a railway car. The same dirigible, apparently, flew over Lowestoft, dropping three bombs. One damaged a house, injuring a woman occupant, another killed three horses and partially wrecked a railway shed and a third set fire to the lumber yards.

Malden Heavily Bombed  
Malden was subjected to a terrific bombardment from a second Zeppelin. Twenty incendiary and four explosive bombs were hurled upon the town while the Zeppelin sped in wide circles at a great height. Several residences were damaged and a young girl slightly injured. One explosive bomb partially wrecked the home of the district supervisor. The roof of his bedroom fell in but he escaped unhurt. Another bomb fell in a meadow, killing several chickens. Clacton-on-Sea, sixty miles east northeast of London, reported sighting a Zeppelin moving southward along the coast line, disappearing over the Thames estuary. A dispatch from Burnham-on-Crouch reported bombs were dropped there early today but mentioned no damage. Residents of Burnham-on-Crouch thought they saw several aeroplanes hovering about the Zeppelin.

## FRENCH BAG TAUBE

PARIS, April 16.—French artillery yesterday brought down a German aeroplane in front of the English lines north of Ypres, according to an official statement given out here today.

## SCHNELLS HAVE DAUGHTER

A daughter was born last evening to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Schnell, 1503 Market street.

## RUBBER FIGHTERS APPEAL CASE TO HIGHER TRIBUNAL

Frank Chopiewski Is Assessed Costs of \$67.84 for His Share of Trouble Making

Should Circuit Judge E. C. Higbee come to the same conclusion that a jury of six men in county court did yesterday, in the matter of an alleged assault and battery by Frank Chopiewski against Frank Netwell and Charles Vibbard, employees of the La Crosse Rubber Mills company, Chopiewski will have to pay approximately \$75 costs aside from the \$15 fine imposed by Judge Brindley.

Aside from the fees of the jury, Chopiewski's costs are \$67.84.

Case is Carried Higher  
Attorney Fred H. Hartwell, representing Chopiewski and the other union rubber workers charged with assault and battery against non-union rubber men, has appealed the case to circuit court.

The other cases against the union men have been indefinitely postponed by consent of both sides.

The case of Dionisios Stadiopoulos, charged with robbing a pool hall owned by George Crezand on Main street will be heard this afternoon.

Frank Wilson and Joseph Heck, charged with having robbed Casper Lepech of \$4.60 were arraigned before Judge Brindley today and pleaded not guilty. They were remanded to jail upon failure to give bonds of \$1,000 each. They will be heard tomorrow.

## DIES ON EVE OF HIS QUALIFICATION

John Hocking Dies of Pneumonia Before He Can Take Office as Justice

On the eve of his qualification as justice of the peace in the Twelfth ward, John Hocking, 328 North Fourth street was taken by death. He died at the Lutheran hospital following a three days' illness with pneumonia. Mr. Hocking was elected to the office of justice of the peace in his ward at the recent election, by a large majority.

For ten years Mr. Hocking was a member of the La Crosse fire department, serving at station No. 1. Mr. Hocking was employed at the Heileman Brewing company at the time of his death and was a member of the local brewery workers' union. He is survived by one son, aged 14, now at Aberdeen, S. D., who is being called to La Crosse by the death of his father.

The body will lie in state at the Eagles' lodge rooms from 11 until 2:30 o'clock Sunday. At 2:30 o'clock funeral services will be held there, followed by burial at Oak Grove cemetery.

## LA CROSSE YEOMEN MEET AT GALESVILLE

GALESVILLE, Wis., April 16.—(Special.)—La Crosse Homestead of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen was entertained by the Galesville lodge of the order. The La Crosse ladies' degree team was also present. A class of 125 members was taken in and the evening spent in stereopticon slides and concluding with a fancy drill.

The La Crosse homestead won the state prize banner for securing the largest number of members. This was made possible through the efforts of State Manager H. A. Lee and A. L. Tucker, La Crosse.

The ladies taking part in the team were as follows: Anna Lee, Edith Jollivette, Mary Roche, Alma Anderson, Ethel Storch, Mabel Larson, Anna Roche, Clara Larsen, Della Kohn, Chrystal Monty, Florence Williams, Matilda Faas, Goldie Sholes, Mayme and Grace Reddin, Mary Vondrashek, Laura Hoff, Jessie Monty.

Other members from La Crosse attending were Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Burritt, Mrs. Benz, Mrs. A. L. Tucker, Mrs. Nic Grove, Oscar Hoff and H. A. Lee.

## BOAT SMASHES COAL DOCK

PORT HURON, Mich., April 16.—Rendered helpless when the chains of her steering gear jammed, the 4,000 steel steamer Calcite of the Calcite Transportation company of Detroit today crashed into the Thompson coal docks here while passing up the St. Clair river. The dock was wrecked and 500 tons of coal were precipitated into the river.

## BUNNY TO LIVE TO TICKLE FILM FANS

NEW YORK, April 16.—John Bunny, popular moving picture comedian who was seriously ill as the result of overwork, was reported by his physician to be much improved this afternoon and out of danger, barring unforeseen complications.

Bunny was amused, according to his family, at a report circulated by one of his friends that he died early today.

The feller who gets excited may splash around quite a lot, but the quiet feller knocks off the persimmons.

Gen. Huerta as He Arrived in the United States



General Victoriano Huerta, sometime dictator of Mexico, and perhaps the strongest man who has appeared there for years, arrived in New York the other day, and found no trouble landing. Despite efforts of some of his enemies in Mexico, the immigration

authorities did not hold him up. They fear that he has come here to begin a new propaganda looking to his re-establishment in power. The general, of course, denied this. But the importance of his visit was fully recognized by the Mexicans in New York.

## LA CROSSE BOWLERS WIN MANY PRIZES AT WABASHA MEET

Fred Affeldt and Oscar Paulson Get Away with High Score and \$20 Prize

A total of \$45.50 in cash prizes and \$6 in other prizes was brought back to La Crosse by local bowlers from the Wabasha tournament according to the list of prize winners made public today by the tournament committee.

Fred Affeldt and Oscar Paulson took the high prize among the La Crosse men by landing first place in the doubles with a 1,109 score for a prize of \$20. They also won first place in the special doubles, winning \$5.

John Hayes and John Voves won \$3 by placing sixth in the doubles, with a score of 1,016. Lawrence Bollrud and Harry Eaton rolled 997 for ninth place and got a dollar. Bollrud, with a score of 546, captured eighth place in the singles, the prize being \$1.50. John Voves failed by one pin to win a \$1.50 prize.

Second money, \$15, in the five men event was taken by the Bodegas with a score of 2,592. The Gunds scoring 2,392, came in for tenth prize, a three dollar silk watch fob. The T-zers won a half dozen photographs by taking sixteenth place with a score of 2,293.

## NEW YORK MONEY

NEW YORK, April 16.—Money on call, 2 per cent; time money, 3 1/4 to 4 per cent for six months; prime mercantile, unchanged.

Bar silver: London, 23 1/4 d; New York, 23 1/4 d.

Demand sterling, 4.97 5-16.

## TO REMEMBER LUDLOW

WHEELING, W. Va., April 16.—Fifteen thousand Ohio coal miners, strikers since April 1, 1914, announced today great mass meetings will be held in eastern Ohio April 20, to commemorate the anniversary of the Ludlow massacre.

For Laundry and all House Work  
**KIRK'S FLAKE SOAP**  
WHITE SOAP

## POSED AS HIS OWN BROTHER AND ESTATE EXECUTOR

Now His Divorced Wife Discovers Deception and Sues for Accumulated Alimony

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 16.—A weird tale of a man who posed as his own brother and the executor of his own estate for 27 years, while he himself was supposed to be dead, was revealed here today when Mrs. Bertha Collins began suit for \$6,450 back alimony.

Mrs. Collins was divorced from Orville E. Collins on December 17, 1888, on the grounds of desertion, in the Milwaukee circuit court. Collins' whereabouts was unknown and service was obtained upon him by publication. Mrs. Collins was awarded the custody of her year old son, Henry M. Collins, and \$20 a month alimony, to begin September 1 of that year and continue until her son attained his majority.

Shortly after obtaining the divorce, Mrs. Collins and her son moved to St. Joseph, Mo., where she opened a small store. A few months later she received a letter from "E. Collins," who said he was a brother of her former husband. He said her husband was dead and had left an estate worth several thousand dollars, naming him as executor. She received letters from the mysterious "brother" from time to time, some of them containing small sums.

Mrs. Collins returned to Milwaukee a few days ago. She met a man on the street whose appearance was familiar. He spoke to her and said he was "E. Collins." Afterward, she became convinced that his resemblance to her former husband was most striking. She investigated and says she discovered that "E. Collins" was Orville E. Collins, and that he is in business here. She immediately started suit for the full amount of alimony she alleges is due her from September 1, 1888, to July 30, 1906, when her son became of age.

CONSTANCY.  
Whatever is genuine in social relations endures despite of time, error, absence and destiny, and that which has no inherent vitality had better die at once. A great poet has truly declared that constancy is no virtue, but a fact.—Tuckerman.

## CONSOLIDATION BILL IS RECOMMENDED

Bill Merging Insurance and Fire Marshal's Department Increases the Premium Tax Rate

## THREE VICE BILLS ARE ENGROSSED

Monk "State Mann Act" Is Killed Along with Rest of Vice Measures

MADISON, Wis., April 16.—The Kent bill providing for a state printing plant was killed in the assembly today after a prolonged debate by a vote of 52 to 25.

The committee on insurance and banking reported the Johnson bill consolidating the commission of insurance and the department of the state fire marshal for passage. The Johnson bill is, with the exception of a few details, the same as the bill for the same purpose introduced by the special investigation committee. The bill raises the tax rate on gross fire insurance premiums from 2 to 2 1/2 per cent for administration purposes. The governor is to supervise the number of employees and their salaries. It also provides for the employment of a special fire attorney to be added to the attorney general's staff.

The senate engrossed the committee substitute to the Bennett bill No. 2225 relating to the medical school at the university by a vote of 16 to 9. As amended the bill provides that the services of the medical staff shall hereafter be limited to regularly enrolled students at the university, and that only physicians and dentists may consult with members of the staff and avail themselves of the facilities of the clinical laboratories.

Senator Culbertson sought unsuccessfully to incorporate an amendment, which would permit anyone to avail themselves of these facilities.

The Monk bill prohibiting the transportation of women for immoral purposes within the state, was indefinitely postponed. The roadhouse evil was one which could only be reached in this way, said Senator Monk.

Three other bills relating to raising the age of consent to 18 years, pandering and attendance of minor women at dance halls run in connection with saloons were ordered engrossed.

The remaining vice bills were sent to defeat.

## SYMPATHETIC RATE RAISE GRANTED

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The Interstate commerce commission today authorized Mississippi valley railroads to make a "sympathetic" rate increase on lumber and forest products from Arkansas and other southern states to Iowa, Minnesota and other northern states sufficient to enable connecting lines east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio river to receive the five per cent increase recently granted them by the commission.

The order was one of a series made necessary by the 5 per cent increase to the eastern roads which they could not have received, in the case of shipments delivered to them by connecting lines in territory where no increase was allowed without cutting into the latter carrier's share of the total.

## O'DONNELL WILL APPEAR FOR K. C.'S

James F. O'Donnell, Cincinnati, Ohio, impersonator, will entertain an audience at St. Joseph's parochial school Monday night at an entertainment given by the Knights of Columbus.

## GALESVILLE PLANS FAIR

GALESVILLE, Wis., April 16.—(Special.)—With a balance of \$134.82 in the treasury, recently elected officers of the Galesville Fair association are making plans for the fair this fall, which they hope will outdo all years in the past. The officers are Emil Francar, president; Bert Gipple, vice president; B. W. Davis, treasurer, and J. A. Kellman, secretary.

## ALBERT WIEBRECHT DIES

Albert Wiebrecht, aged 53, 1615 West avenue south, died at his home at 12:15 o'clock this morning after an illness of one year caused by a complication of diseases. Mr. Wiebrecht was a former employee of the Heileman Brewing company. He is survived by a widow and three children. Funeral services will be announced later.

## JOHN KOLLER IMPROVES

Doctors today expressed satisfaction over the improvement shown since yesterday in the condition of John Koller, 628 South Fourth street, who has been confined to the St. Francis hospital since Saturday, critically ill with tumor of the stomach.

## WELSH DODGES DECISION

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 16.—Because he said Freddie Welsh demanded that he be allowed to name the referee and that the local rule requiring referees decisions be waived, Billy Haack, promoter of the Phoenix Athletic club here called off the proposed bout between the light weight champion and Joe Azevedo Portuguese lightweight.

As a rule towns grow new sets of rich men every twenty years.



**Here is The Most Remarkable Premium Offer Ever Made:**  
**FREE** To every one making a purchase of \$25.00 worth of clothing we will give a \$10.00 forty-two piece "Sterling China" dinner set for only \$1.00. This one dollar merely pays for express charges.

### Dinner Set Consists of

6 cups, 6 saucers, 6 tea plates, 6 dinner plates, 6 oatmeal or fruit saucers, 6 butter plates, 1 pickle dish, 1 fancy butter plate, 1 vegetable dish, 1 salad dish, 1 turkey or meat platter, 1 bowl.

These sets are made of the best quality china produced in America. The china is the purest snow white, daintily embossed around the edges, heavily glazed in brilliant satin finish. Beautifully decorated, also gold edge.

### Why We Do This

We give away this beautiful \$10.00 dinner set to our customers to advertise this store as a special inducement to secure new customers and to increase our trade with old customers, to show you in a substantial way how much we appreciate your trade. In this way we share our profits with you, in other words the money we spend in this way for advertising goes directly into the pockets of our customers. These dinner sets are now on exhibition at our store. Come and see them.

### How To Get The Dinner Set

1st, by simply making a purchase of \$25.00. If you do not wish to make this purchase all at one time we give 30 days in which to make a full purchase of \$25.00.  
 2nd, if you only wish to make a purchase of \$15.00 you may have the set for \$2.00 cash.

**You do not have to pay cash to take advantage of this big offer. These premiums are given with purchase for cash or on our easy payment plan.**

### Ladies' Suits

New styles in wool poplins, serges, new chudde cloth, fine covert, novelty suitings and black-and-white checks; best spring shades and snappiest styles; sizes 34 to 44 for women; 14, 16, 18 and 20 for misses.

Price \$12.50 to \$27.50

Women's Suits, value-giving that will interest you, for they're made in half a score of the most approved styles and materials for spring suits that others ask \$18.50 for, in all sizes, at

Price \$14.95

### Ladies' New Spring Coats

A choice of fully 150 distinctly new and different Spring Coats from any heretofore shown. Made of fine wool poplins, gabardines, covert, mixtures, tweeds and checks, in all the new ripple back, belted and high neck military effects.

Price, \$7.50 to \$10.00

See Our Special Line of coats for \$10. Boys' Suits, Special for \$3.98.

### Ladies' Millinery

We wish to impress you with the value of buying quality millinery. Let us show you the difference.

Price, \$3.00 to \$10

Ladies' Skirts .....\$2.50 and up

Ladies' Petticoats .....\$1.98

Ladies' Waists .....98c and up

Raincoats Special .....\$4.98

### MEN! CLOTHING for old and middle aged.

At Prices Lower Than Others

There is an abundance of snap in the form-fitting models, as well as in the loose and roomy coats with set in sleeves that appeal so strongly to the young chaps. The new shades are Sand, Putty, Olive, Sage, Green, Brown, Tan and Gray.

Price \$10.00 to \$25.00

Be sure and keep this coupon. Only holders of this coupon are entitled to the above premiums.

**Klassen's**

V. Allen McFeely, Mgr.  
 322 Pearl St. La Crosse, Wis.

### Remember!

You do not have to pay cash to take advantage of the above premiums — take advantage of our easy payment plan of \$1.00 a week.

Your Credit is Good Here

### PRAIRIE DU CHIEN LIBRARY ENLARGED

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., April 16.—(Special).—An order for about \$250 worth of new books has just been placed by the public library board, and six magazines ordered for reading tables. A new oak book case has been purchased and another ordered, and further improvements are to be made in the appearance of the reading room.

Joseph Zimmerman has purchased

### MILWAUKEE SUFFERER TRIED JUST ONE DOSE

Ben Behling Gave Up Hope Before He Found Remedy—Happy Now

Ben F. Behling of 959 Louis avenue, Milwaukee, was a sufferer from malady of the stomach and digestive tract for a long time. He gave up hope.

At last he discovered Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. He took a dose just to try it. The results were remarkable. He wrote:

"I was in such bad condition that I had given up hope of ever getting well again. I sent to you for one dose of your remedy and took it the same day you sent it. It has worked wonderfully. I took five more bottles, one each week. I am now a new man again. I thank you a thousand times for the good you did me."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee. —If not satisfactory money will be returned.

the house occupied by William Linzenmeyer near the high school and will take possession May 1.

J. A. Murray of Baraboo, manager of the Union Telephone company, was in the city on business Thursday.

Mrs. P. M. Dicaire of Bemidji, Minn., was called here this week by the illness of her father, M. Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Baker of Miles City, Mont., who have many friends and relatives here, are now visiting Seattle and Portland on their way to the California exposition. The return trip will be made by way of the Grand Canyon and Denver.

Mrs. C. L. Christie of Pollock, S. D., is here for a few days visiting old friends and neighbors. Mrs. Christie was called to Wabasha, Minn., by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Alvin B. Enke (nee Gertrude Christie), who suffered a stroke of paralysis but is now reported convalescing.

W. R. Graves made a business trip to Richland Center Thursday.

Little Viola Mueller sustained a dislocation of her right shoulder while playing on the school grounds Wednesday.

Miss Belle Houston, secretary of the Prairie du Chien sanitarium, visited this week at her home in Montford.

Andrew H. Natwick, druggist at Soldiers Grove was in Prairie du Chien Wednesday enroute to Rochester, Minn., for surgical treatment.

De Los Curtis and John Farris of Steuben were business visitors in the city Wednesday and Thursday.

Ground was broken this week for the new residence of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Herold on Michigan street.

Miss Alma May Taylor will be in the city next week to give training to the ten contestants in a high school declamatory contest.

The Bloomington band will give a concert followed by a dance at the Grand Opera house Friday evening, April 23.

### MRS. POTTINGA IS DEAD NEAR SPARTA

Two and One-half Pound Trout Caught; Purity Federation Woman in City Three Days

SPARTA, Wis., April 16.—(Special).—Mrs. John Pottinga died at her home in Lion's Valley late Wednesday night, after a lengthy illness. Funeral services will take place at the home at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Rev. Clifford, pastor of the Sparta Methodist church will officiate. Burial will take place at the Leon cemetery.

**Sparta Goes Fishing**  
 Everyone in Sparta who could went fishing yesterday.

Charles Van Antwerp returned with twenty-six trout, the largest number caught so far by one person.

William Moffat is showing a two and a half pound trout specimen to his friends with glee.

**Purity Woman to Speak**  
 Dr. Emma F. Drake, Denver, Col., vice president of the World's Purity Federation, will deliver addresses in Sparta today, tomorrow and Sunday.

She will speak at 7:30 o'clock to-night at the high school auditorium on "Why Boys and Girls Go Wrong."

She will speak to students of the high school Saturday afternoon.

Dr. Drake will also deliver three addresses at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday.

**Personals**  
 Mr. Frank Storandt of West Salem is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Richard Williams.

Mrs. William Sherwin entertained at a 5 o'clock tea at her home on Spring street yesterday afternoon.

Mayor McMillan has moved into the Harry Baldwin house on North Water street, temporarily.

George Amundson, who has for some time been employed in the Pickwick Clothes shop at Sparta, has returned to his home in Rio, Wis.

Miss Frieda Enckhausen is spending a few days in Bangor.

John T. Davis of Viroqua was in Sparta on business this morning.

Frank J. Winter of La Crosse was a business caller in Sparta yesterday.

Frank Wilder of Norwalk was a business caller in Sparta yesterday.

### FASTS 57 DAYS

WARSAW, Ind., April 16. James Robinson is gradually taking on weight again. He lost 100 pounds in 57 days, and incidentally set a new record for fasting in so doing.

Robinson's trouble was that he had no appetite. He simply couldn't bear the sight of food. Finally he was induced to take a glass of buttermilk, and he gradually recovered. He had dropped from 230 pounds to 130.

This upsets the theory of medical science that 55 days is the limit of a man's endurance without food.

**Of Course Not.**  
 Why is an egg like a coil? Because it is not fit for use until it is broken.—Exchange.

### "TIZ" FOR TIRED AND SORE FEET

"TIZ" for puffed-up, burning, aching, calloused feet and corns.



Why go limping around with aching, puffed-up feet—feet so tired, chafed, sore and swollen you can hardly get your shoes on or off? Why don't you get a 25-cent box of "TIZ" from the drug store now and gladden your tortured feet?

"TIZ" makes your feet glow with comfort; takes down swellings and draws the soreness and misery right out of feet that chafe, smart and burn. "TIZ" instantly stops pain in corns, callouses and bunions. "TIZ" is glorious for tired, aching, sore feet. No more shoe tightness—no more foot torture.

### CONSUMER PAYS BUT STATE GETS LITTLE OF TAX

Pennsylvania Anthracite Tax Works Out as Boost in Coal Costs with Only Co utrExpense for State

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 16.—While the ultimate consumer merri-

ly pays twenty-five cents a ton extra for his hard coal, the drama of the Pennsylvania anthracite coal tax law is slowly but expensively being enacted in the Keystone state. The action has been developing for over a year and a half, the coal companies are \$18,000,000 richer than when the curtain went up, and the show is not half over, experts claim.

The entire situation grew out of a desire of conservationists and others to give Pennsylvania ample doses of gold dollars to offset the pain of seeing one of her principal natural resources—anthracite coal—carted off to other states, to keep their enterprises going, while this state got only the price of the coal and a residue of mother earth "good for nothing after the coal was taken out." So in 1913 a law was enacted putting a tax of 2 1/2 per cent of the value of hard coal at the mines. This was a levy of ten cents a ton. Half of the tax so collected was to be returned to the counties wherein the coal was mined. Experts claim that 80 per cent of anthracite mined in Pennsylvania is shipped into other states.

It was figured by the auditor general that the state would bring in between four and five million of dollars revenue a year. The measure was effective July 1, 1913 and state officials figured that \$2,000,000 was owing to the state January 1, 1914. The coal companies immediately instituted a test suit against the constitutionality of the act, claiming it was invalid because it was special legislation, soft coal being exempted from the provision of the law. After about \$20,000 had been paid into the state treasury by the coal operators, they decided to discontinue further payments until the constitutionality of the act was settled.

However, the coal operators have been collecting the tax assiduously. According to experts, the companies have been levying twenty-five cents a ton extra on anthracite in order to "defray the additional cost of meeting the statute's provisions." At the present time over \$7,000,000 is due the state, while \$18,000,000 have been added to the nation's fuel bill, according to experts.

To make the drama more interesting, while the Dauphin county court is considering the appeal case, the coal companies are endeavoring to have the statute repealed. Should the statute be repealed, another measure, covering the constitutional objection in the present law, will be immediately submitted. If the Dauphin county court decides against the operators, an appeal will be taken to the state supreme court.

In the meantime, the coal companies are levying tribute from the ultimate consumer.

### GONE AND FORGOTTEN

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 16.—Hundreds of bodies of early Philadelphia settlers will be exhumed within a few days, when work is begun to construct a public highway through old St. Mary's cemetery. The cemetery, which for years has been filled, has been abandoned. Nobody has ever visited the cemetery during the past few years and the city has no records of the persons buried. The bodies will be removed to some other location.

### SLEEVELESS GOWN IS FINDING FAVOR



This sleeveless evening gown of pink satin and gold lace, with pink ostrich, black tulle streamers at the neck and with pink roses on the skirt, has attracted much favorable attention. The gown was exhibited at the recent fashion show in New York.

## A PIANO Sale

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### The Sale of Exchanged Pianos

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- One Wing & Son mahogany case, fine condition, at .....\$145
- One Sohmer Square in first class condition ..\$50
- One Wheelock Upright in good condition at \$125
- One Knabe Grand, used, at .....\$50
- One slightly used Player Piano, mahogany case, at .....\$275
- One \$550 slightly used Player Piano at .....\$375
- One \$450 Emerson slightly used at .....\$265
- One new \$350 Piano, slightly used at concerts, at .....\$255
- One new high grade fine mahogany Grand, slightly used, at .....\$495
- One slightly used Weaver Organ in oak case, in first class condition, at .....\$39
- One slightly used Weaver Organ, walnut case, in first class condition, at .....\$38
- One Mason & Hamlin Organ at .....\$12
- One Sterling Organ, used, at .....\$15

Moreover these pianos were relinquished by their owners, not because of any fault, but as part payment on Player Pianos.

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### BLACKLIST SYSTEM DESCRIPTION GIVEN

Federal Commission on Industrial Relations Listens to Secretary of Telegraphers' Union

CHICAGO, April 16.—Wesley Russell, secretary of the Commercial Telegraphers' union, yesterday described to the federal commission on industrial relations the system of discharging and blacklisting employees for union affiliations which he said was in vogue in the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies.

The "open door" policy through which employees with grievances could seek to have them ameliorated as described by President Newcomb Carlton of the Western Union, he said, was a mythical institution.

Russell read into the record what he said were original documents and messages from Belvidere Brooks, vice president of the Western Union, to officials over the country relative to discharged employees. One of Brooks' stock letters to aggrieved employees, he said, was "We have no disposition to question the judgment

of local officers. I have no doubt your discharge was for a good cause."

"When an operator was discharged for 'cause' (union affiliations) he was absolutely barred from his vocation," said Russell. "The two telegraph companies control practically the entire commercial telegraphy system of the country."

### MAINE VS. NEW HAMPSHIRE

DURHAM, N. H., April 16.—Maine University's baseball team today clashes on the diamond with New Hampshire State university.

### Rheumatic Fever

In the treatment of Rheumatic Fever many physicians employ purgatives, but Dr. M. F. Creed thinks that a mild laxative is better. When the patient is bilious he gives calomel in small doses, one-fifth of a grain every hour until a grain has been taken. Then after four hours he gives the patient a half ounce of citrate of magnesia, with syrup of lemon to disguise the taste, or he keeps the bowels open with the mild laxative "Actoids." The diet should be light, and all animal food should be excluded as far as possible from the dietary. For the pain and fever he has found nothing equal to Anti-Kamnia Tablets, giving two tablets every 3 to 4 hours as required. These tablets may be obtained from all druggists in any quantity desired. Ask for A-K Tablets. Unexcelled for Headaches, Neuralgias, and All Pains.

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Painless Extracting Free where contract is made for new work. My guarantee for 20 years stands back of every piece of work. You have known me for the past 20 years as being on the square. I never have, nor ever will sell out my office and desert my patients to strangers. You will always find me here to attend to your wants. If you're going to have work done, do it now and save money. Come in anyhow and let's talk it over. It will not cost you a cent for advice. Look for the sign of the BIG TOOTH.

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 The Painless Dentist 115 South Fourth Street

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### Baby Looks His Best in a Sidway

Sidway Collapsible Carriages are as handsome in appearance and design as a high-grade automobile. Baby's bound to look its prettiest, snuggled up comfortably in the roomy, beautiful Sidway.

And baby feels best, too. For the extra width means plenty of body-room, even with heavy covers. And the exclusive Sidway E-Z spring can be adjusted easily to take care of the extra weight as he grows heavier.

The Fabrikoid leather in the Sidway is made specially for it by the Dupont Fabrikoid Company.

The Sidway Collapsible Carriage is made by the Sidway Mercantile Company, Elkhart, Indiana, in a wide variety of models to suit every possible taste and purse.

For baby's sake, see the Sidway.



The Sidway Collapsible Carriage folds into small compact and can be hung in a closet when not in use.

**Tillman Bros.**



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YOU PAY LESS HERESEEDS  
Vegetable and  
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per pkg. 1c

## REAL Bargains in Women's Apparel

### House Dresses at 49c

Only about 6 dozen of these \$1.00 House Dresses left. We want to close them all out tomorrow, Saturday. You will have to call early to get your share. Price 49c

### Women's Drawers 19c

One big lot of Women's Drawers, the regular 25c qualities, tomorrow, Saturday's price 19c

### \$5.00 Coats for \$3.98

Only about 20 of these new spring \$5.00 Coats remain. You should see them; excellent values \$3.98



### \$1 Shirt Waists 69c

A great bargain in a Shirt Waist, of an excellent quality at \$1; they are in all sizes, some plain white, some with colored stripe. You should see them. Priced for one day's selling tomorrow, Saturday, for 69c

### Women's Petticoats

One lot of Women's Petticoats in black and colors, values up to 98c, Saturday for 48c

### Children's Rompers

Children's Rompers, tomorrow, Saturday 23c

### Mammoth Coat and Suit Sale Continues Tomorrow

Women's Suits, values up to \$17.50, for \$8.95

\$20.00 Women's Suits tomorrow \$13.75

Women's Coats, values up to \$18.00, tomorrow, Saturday, your choice \$11.75

## SOLDIERS' LETTERS TELL HUMAN SIDE OF LIFE IN TRENCHES

LONDON, March 24.—(By Mail to New York.)—The human side of the trenches and firing lines with their pathos and laughter combined is no better told than by the "Tom-mies" at the front, thousands of whose letters are received weekly by the "folks back home."

Though interest is intense in the big news developments, second to this comes the "soldier letter" sections in the daily newspapers and columns appear daily. The British censor scrupulously eliminates all mention of troop locations in the soldiers' mail but this fails to detract from the interest in the subject matter.

**Old Woman Stuck to Home**  
How an old Belgian woman refused to leave her home though German shells have cut great holes in her doorway, was related by a private in the First Wiltshire regiment. He called her "Mother Cavellier" and added:

"We tried to get her to go but it was no good. It is her home and she means to stay at all costs. She looks upon us all as sons and does everything for us—gives us food, dries our clothing and even washes our underwear."

How a terrific "battle of words" raged between a Belgian and German trench along the Yser was told by a Belgian infantryman who wrote a London newspaper about it. The trenches were fifty yards apart. The opposing soldiers contented themselves with hurling abusive language until the "battle" became so violent that the Belgian colonel forbade his men further verbal exchanges with the Germans. The soldier concludes: "It was a pity too, as it was a great pleasure to tell one's enemy one's contempt and hate."

**Sends Sample of Trench**  
A private of the Seaford Highlanders wrote "home" how he had labored to scratch out a few lines on a piece of paper with a pencil when he slipped and fell into the watery mud in the bottom of the trench. He crawled out, spent half hour finding his pencil and cleaning the paper then resumed the letter.

"The fearful condition of the trenches is best revealed," he wrote, "by the part of them I am sending home on this letter."

A wounded London Territorial wrote: "Picture yourself, in all your clothes, clothed with blood and dirt, as dry as blotting paper, aching all over and breathing forty to the minute, taken from a Red Cross cart and carried into a clean dressing room. Then the first Englishwoman you have seen for four months cuts your clothes off and sends you to bed. It is like crawling from hell to heaven."

**Need More Men**  
A Lance Corporal who was wounded at Ypres and is again in the fighting line wrote:

"The more men we get here the sooner the game will be at an end. The Germans are almost sold out. We captured a few the other day and they told us they didn't want to fight. They were mere boys. We only want nice dry weather and then I am quite sure we can finish up with a brilliant victory."

An Australian trooper in Egypt said: "We are camped just below the Pyramids, not the best place in the world although the great Napoleon

chose it once. The great drawback is sand; we drill on it, sleep in it, even eat it. It causes sore eyes and bad language and would eventually break your heart."

Commenting on the British fur coats furnished the troops, a London private wrote:

"I have been provided with a fur jacket, quite a 'nutty' model. I resemble something between a monkey and an arctic explorer. It adds to the weight to carry, but is warm, which is the main thing!"

How two women with exotic fortitude braved German shells to sit beside the coffin of a neighbor woman was told in the East Surrey private's letter from France. The women sat silently beside the bier in a room of a house when "a German shell burst outside the front door" the private added, "and neither of them gave any notice of it. Another shell shattered the whole inside of the house and the staircase came down together with some of the ceilings. I saw the women come out as white as millers with the dust which had enveloped them. Their escape was miraculous and when the dust had been brushed from them they re-entered, readjusted the coffin which had upset and resumed the vigil as though the occurrence was all a part of the day's work."

**No Holidays**  
A member of the Royal Field Artillery and former shop employee after explaining that he expected to bring home a clock from the "town hall of Berlin" apologized for writing a brief letter by saying:

"There is no chance of asking the foreman to give me a day off so I'll have to stop where I am. You see we are so busy this year in 'our trade' that we can't be spared; as a matter of fact we are working overtime."

### RELIEF SHIP SAILS

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 16.—The British steamship Saint Kentigern, laden with more than 7,000 tons of foodstuffs and clothing for the relief of stricken Belgians, sailed from here today for Rotterdam. It was the seventh relief vessel to leave this port since the war started.

Much unnecessary talk manages to escape from a tiny mouth.

## DRINK HABIT

### RELIABLE HOME TREATMENT

The ORRINE treatment for the Drink Habit can be used with absolute confidence. It destroys all desire for whiskey, beer or other alcoholic stimulants. Thousands have successfully used it and have been restored to lives of sobriety and usefulness. Can be given secretly. Costs only \$1.00 per box. If you fail to get results from ORRINE after a trial, your money will be refunded. Ask for free booklet telling all about ORRINE. O. T. Erhart, 513 Main street.

## Were You At The Bijou Last Evening?

Crowds saw John Emerson play that great comedy feature

## "The Bachelor's Romance"

We pronounce it one of the best Paramount attractions we have offered our patrons. Showing again Tonight and Saturday. We are presenting the introductory film of the Paramount Travel Pictures on the same program.

## At The BIJOU

## WAR RINGS KNELL OF WESTERN BRONCO

Europe Spends Millions for Horses and Wild Bands of the Plains Are Melting

DENVER, Colo., April 16.—The European war promises to mark the final passing of the wild horse of the range, the disappearance of the bucking bronco so long associated with the west.

Even now there are practically no wild horses such as once roamed the ranges and with the inroads being made upon the horses of the west by the war, his half-civilized brother, the bronco, promises to disappear. Thousands of horses have been taken from Colorado, Wyoming and other western states. Not only have British and French buyers invaded this section, but representatives of the Italian government have combed the country for mounts. During the last few weeks an Italian buyer purchased several hundred horses and so great was his haste to get them to his home country that they were sent by express from Denver to the east instead of by freight. There they were to be hurried aboard a steamer for Italy.

Several million dollars have been spent for these horses for war purposes. The greatest demand, of course, is for stout, sound horses capable of work as cavalry mounts or for artillery. The entire country has been gone over two or three times by buyers for different countries and still the demand has not been filled.

This draining of the west of horses means that in the rehabilitation a better breed of horses will be produced. It is this that sounds the death knell of the bronco. The government has been working for years encouraging the breeding of better horses. Stallions and mares of standard breeds, draft and general purpose horses have been placed throughout the west. Their progeny are already influencing the general trend of development of the horses in the sections in which the work of the government is being centered. As the demand for horses to replace those sold for war service increases, it will be animals of better breeds which will take their places.

Another factor having a great influence, is the fencing of ranches—something which was unknown in years gone by. This ended the day of the wild horse and the bronco, although given to bucking and pitching, has gradually become tamer and more domesticated.

There was a time when it was not so very difficult to find a horse in the west which no human being could ride. That day has now gone by. The last great horse of this stripe was "Steamboat," which died only this year. It is claimed that no man ever rode Steamboat legitimately. The greatest riders of the entire west tried and failed, all finally being thrown in some way or other.

When the British government was purchasing horses for use in the Boer war it was necessary to employ bronco busters, who spent weeks battling with the prospective mounts for British cavalrymen, before they were conquered and sufficiently subdued to the saddle to satisfy the government agent. This year there is little evidence that the British or French are in danger of suffering casualties through encountering the American horses.

Constant association with man through the years between the Boer war and the present, instead of roaming over unfenced plains, has had its influence on the horse. The "never say die" fighting spirit of the old bronco in his struggle against the touch of leather and his intense hatred of man, because he was representative of enslavement to the saddle, has slowly flickered out. Breeding and association has brought about the inevitable. Within a few years it will probably be hard for even a "wild west" show manager to find a western horse which will buck constantly and consistently, as though he meant it.

### FEDERAL OFFICER QUILTS

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Otto H. Tittman, superintendent of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey for the past 15 years, resigned today. He was 48 years in the government service. Dr. E. Lester Jones, deputy commissioner of fisheries, was named to succeed Mr. Tittman.

Probably the most important woman's club is the rolling pin.

## DIVER IS FATALLY HURT IN TANK MEET

Slips and Fractures Skull; New Mark Is Set in the 100 Yard Swim

CHICAGO, April 16.—Physicians today held out little hope for the covering of Frederick W. Bittke, a fancy diver, who slipped while diving from the springboard in the National A. A. U. tournament last night and suffered a fractured skull. An operation was performed immediately.

Arl Raithehl, the I. A. C.'s "human fish" set a new mark in the 100 yard swim, beating the former record held by the Duke of Kahanamoku, the Hawaiian flash. The new mark is: 54 2-5.

The I. A. C. relay team composed of Raithehl, Hebler, McGilivray and Vosburgh easily won the 300 yard relay race and set a new mark, 3:45 3-5, beating its own former record by two-fifths of a second.

The division of points was as follows: Illinois A. C., 43; New York A. C., 19; Chicago A. A., 10; Cincinnati G. A. C., 5; Yale university, 5; Unattached, 3, and East Boston S. C., 1.

The National A. A. U. championship polo games will be played tonight with the I. A. C. team a heavy favorite.

Speaking of geniuses, the fellow who invented the suspender button that goes on with a clasp was certainly a friend of the suffragette's husband.

## SEVERE CASE OF ASTHMA CONQUERED



MRS. DORY KING

Nature's Creation has a record for producing wonderful results in asthma—even in cases of many years' standing. And no asthma sufferer should despair without trying this remarkable remedy. Among the many successes credited to Nature's Creation is the case of Mrs. Dory King, North Manchester, Ind., whose statement of her recovery is as follows: "I have been troubled with asthma ever since I was a small child, and last fall became so bad I could not do my work. I had coughed for six weeks, wheezed all the time, was very nervous and could not sleep. Doctor's medicine would do me no good and I was very much discouraged. As my lungs began to have sore spots on them, I began taking Nature's Creation and before a week the wheezing stopped and I could sleep some at night. Before I had finished the first bottle my cough had stopped and the sore spots on my lungs were disappearing. That was last August, and now I feel entirely cured. I will forfeit \$1,000 to anyone proving that I ever paid one cent for the above testimonial, or for any of the hundreds that are in my files and which are open to inspection. It is a fact supported by undeniable proof that Nature's Creation is today accomplishing remarkable results in cases of asthma—as well as cases of tuberculosis, catarrh and bronchitis."

Everybody should learn the truth about this remarkable remedy, which we will gladly furnish. Write for a copy of our new booklet, "Truth," containing photos and testimonials of former sufferers. Address Elmer Haenlein, 32 Sentinel Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis. Nature's Creation is not a patent medicine and is not sold in drug stores. Beware of substitutes—demand the original and genuine Nature's Creation. Watch for Nature's Creation testimonials, which will appear in this paper every Friday.

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## TWO MILLINERY Specials SATURDAY

50

### Trimmed Hats

Mostly all large drooping and straight brimmed Sailors, trimmed with ostrich bands & American Beauty Roses, values up to \$6, special at

\$3.50



### Untrimmed Shapes

In a large variety of colors and shapes, including the large Shepherdess Hemp Hats, extra special at

\$1.95

## The Trend of Fashion in SPRING DRESS FABRICS is Authentically Displayed Here. Stop Tomorrow and Inspect These New Arrivals.

**Black and White Check Dress Goods**—The demand for black and white checks in wool goods is very large. They are being worn for dresses, skirts and coats; we have them in several qualities and many size checks, 36 to 54 inches wide, priced per yard

\$2 down to 25c

Buy Home Journal Patterns, advance styles

**Satin Japanese Silks**—A new creation in summer silks this season, much on the order of a fine Habutai silk, only it is softer and has a rich satin finish, much in favor for dresses, waists and undergarments, 36 inches wide, worth 90c. Priced per yard

75c

10c and 15c

**New Chiffon Taffeta Silks**—Chiffon and Taffeta Silks have the call for spring dresses and waists. For Saturday we will feature a very special quality in the following spring colors: Navy blue, delft blue, reseda, putty and black; they are worth \$1.25 a yard, 36 inches wide. Priced special per yard

98c

10c and 15c

**Black and White Silk Taffeta Checks**—Smart club checks in black and white taffeta silks are very much in vogue this spring, always so cool and dressy for summer wear; for the new pleated skirts they are exceptionally good, 36 in. wide, worth \$1.25 yard. Special at

\$1.00

Home Book of Fashions, with free pattern

**New Manville Chambrays**—Fine corded chambrays with a linen finish, a tub fabric that will launder perfectly, shown in new spring shades of blue and pink, light gray, tan, putty and battleship gray, 26 inches wide, worth 20c yard. Special Saturday at

12 1/2c

25c

**Amoskeag Book Fold Dress Gingham**—32 in. wide; every woman knows the standard quality of Amoskeag Dress Gingham, how it wears, washes and launders, shown in smart checks of blue and white, pink and white, and black and white. Sold by large stores at 12 1/2c yard. Priced special at

9c

25c

## CHOCOLATE DAY

**Special**—Chocolate Coated Caramels, the 20c kind, special at per pound 10c (Limit 1 lb. to a customer.)  
Hershey and Runkle Chocolate Bars, 3 bars for 10c  
Fresh Chocolate Drops with cream centers, per pound 10c  
1/2 pound box Assorted Chocolates, each only 15c  
Hand Dipped Chocolate Creams, 10 flavors, 20c per pound  
Whipped Cream Chocolates, a delicious confection, per pound 20c  
Chocolate Caramels, with cream caramel centers, pound 20c  
Chocolate Cream Peanut Bon Bons, per pound 20c  
Peanut Center Chocolate Chips, priced at 20c per pound  
Honey Comb Chocolate Chips, pound 20c

## When Searching for Tasty Things in Eatables at Correct Prices Come To Us.

**Combination No. 1**  
15c can of Snider's Pork and Beans, in tomato sauce 5c  
1 can Early June Peas 10c  
1 can Wisconsin Corn 10c  
All for 25c  
**Combination No. 2**  
1 No. 3 can Tomatoes, solid pack 5c  
2 boxes (1,000) Matches for 10c  
All for 15c  
**Soda**—Arm and Hammer brand Soda, 10c package for 5c  
**Lemons**—Large juicy California Lemons, 10c 6 for

10c

**Sugar**—10 pounds fine Cane Sugar 59c  
With a 50c purchase of tea, coffee, spices, extracts, baking powder or Zieve's Fruit Nectar.

**Apricots**—Choice California bright fruit, per pound 15c  
**Raisins**—Seeded Raisins, Bear brand, 15 ounce package 10c  
**Grape Juice**—Armour's Grape Juice, 6 reg. 25c bottles for \$1.20

**Jelly Powder**—Home brand Jelly Powder, choice of flavors, 3 packages for 25c  
**Sauer Kraut**—Crescent brand Sauer Kraut, No. 3 can 9c

**Corn**—Batavia brand Corn, Crosby pack, can 12 1/2c  
**Peas**—Monarch brand Telephone Peas, per can 12 1/2c  
**Tomatoes**—Coast brand Tomatoes, solid pack, can 12 1/2c  
**Chocolate**—Stollwerck's Premium Chocolate, 1/2 pound package 15c

We recommend, guarantee and sell the celebrated **Primal Brand Flavoring Extracts**. You will find all flavors of the highest quality, absolutely pure—Vanilla, Lemon, Orange, Almond, Rose, Celery, Peppermint and many other flavors, 2 ounce bottle at 30c  
You will find the finest of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables, including strawberries, for your Sunday dinner, at a little less here.

## Dollar CORSET at 25c

A lot of discontinued old styles of Corsets, in such makes as the "Kabo," "W. B.," "American Lady," etc., in white and drab, but in broken and mostly small sizes. Garments that will give excellent service and are particularly suited for house wear. These \$1.00 Corsets go on sale Saturday at

25c



Carter's  
Underwear  
Please, 50c Up

# Scott-Rose Co.

418-420 MAIN STREET

Ladies' New  
Raincoats  
\$3.00 Up

## Children's NEW DRESSES

We have just received another shipment of Children's Wash Dresses, which makes our stock the most complete assortment of dainty dresses for the little ones that you will find anywhere in gingham, chambrays, percales, crepes and other novelty fabrics to fit ages from 2 to 14 years. Exceptional values at each

**50c to \$6.50**

## Sale of SILK PETTICOATS

Ladies' fine Silk Messaline Petticoats in black, white and all the best colors in variety of good styles, worth \$3.50 each. Special Saturday at

**\$1.98**

Special Values Ladies' Spring Suits \$12.50 to \$35

Special Values Ladies' Spring Coats \$6.00 to \$25

## SALE of CORSETS

Two big bargain lots of Ladies' Corsets for Saturday.

LOT 1—Several good styles of regular \$1.00 Corsets for **65c**

LOT 2—A number of discontinued styles in W. B. Nuform and Royal Worcester Adjusto Corsets that sold up to \$3.00 each, for **95c**

## LINEN Department

Bleached Linen Crash Toweling, worth 12½c, only per yard **10c**

Unbleached Linen Crash Toweling, worth 10c, only per yard **8½c**

Remnants of Bleached and Half Bleached Damask, lengths from 1½ to 3 yards, at special prices.

Odd half dozens of Napkins in 18 inch, 20 inch and 22 inch, at special cut prices—

**6 for 75c 6 for \$1.00 6 for \$1.50**

## WASH GOODS

Colored Rice Voiles, Striped Voiles, regular 50c quality, only per yard **25c**

15c Colored Batiste, Tissues, Crepes, Saturday only per yard **12½c**

Figured Windsor Crepes, small neat designs, regular 25c quality, only per **19c**

## BASEMENT

25c Apron Gingham, made of Amoskeag gingham, only per yard **15c**

50c Bengalow Aprons, 50c Muslin Gowns and Muslin Petticoats, only each **39c**

22 inch Amoskeag Tub Cloths and Romper Cloths, regular 20c quality, only per yard **15c**

40 inch Fancy White Crepes, worth 25c, only per yard **10c**

Striped Ripelette in blue, pink and black, only per yard **10c**

Light and Dark Calicos, also Apron Gingham, Saturday per yard **5c**

10c Checked and Striped Dress Gingham, only per yard **7½c**

36 inch Light and Dark Percales, worth 10c, only per yard **8½c**

45 inch Colored and White Oil Cloths, regular 18c and 20c quality, only per yard **15c**

Mill seconds of Hemmed Bed Spreads, worth \$1.15, only each **69c**

## SCOTT-ROSE Millinery Section

We beg to call the attention of the women of this city and vicinity to the extraordinary values we are offering this week in

**Smart TRIMMED HATS**

at **\$3.00 and \$5.00**

It will pay to investigate.

KANSAS CLEAN-UP DAY

TOPEKA, Kan., April 16.—Today was fire prevention and clean-up day in Kansas by proclamation of Governor Arthur Capper.

## FARM WAGES IN SMALL 1914 SLUMP

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Farm wages in the United States last year were less by 1.7 per cent than in the year before, although 9 per cent higher than five years ago.

For the whole country the average wage without board in the past year was \$29.88, as compared to \$30.31 the year before, \$27.43 five years ago and \$19.97 fifteen years ago. Nevada averaged \$56 last year, the highest among the states; South Carolina averaged \$16.50, the lowest.

Where board was added to the money wage, the average for the United States last year was \$21.05, compared with \$21.38 the year before, \$20.01 five years ago and \$13.90 fifteen years ago. Nevada's

\$39 was the highest average, and South Carolina \$12, the lowest.

The average pay, without board, for day labor, other than harvest labor, was \$1.45 a day, compared to \$1.50 a year ago and \$1.29 five years ago. Montana was highest with an average wage of \$2.54. Day wages with board averaged \$1.13, as compared to \$1.16 a year ago and \$1.03 five years ago.

Harvest time day labor, without board, averaged \$1.91, compared to \$1.94 a year ago, and \$1.71 five years ago. North Dakota's average

was \$3.25, highest in the United States; Mississippi, \$1.06, the lowest. The same labor, with board, was paid \$1.55, as against \$1.57 a year ago and \$1.43 five years ago. State averages ran from \$0.82 in Mississippi to \$2.68 in North Dakota.

The depression in the cotton market caused the south to experience the greatest reduction. A few states showed slight advances in some lines. All postoffices now have application blanks for use of farmers who wish to employ help through the government farm labor employment service.

The International Institute of Agriculture gives the following list of countries from which it is forbidden to export certain articles of food. Cereals generally are forbidden to

## FOR BRONCHITIS AND COUGHS

use Schiffmann's Concentrated Expectant. 2 ounces make a full pint at home, and if not found the best remedy ever used, your money will be refunded by Geo. E. Mariner's Drug Store.

## FRENCH WOMEN FORM ORGANIZATION FOR RE-FURNISHING

Government Will Rebuild War-wrecked Homes and Society Will Supply Gear

PARIS, April 3.—By Mail to New York.—While the French government itself has undertaken the rebuilding of the thousands of homes destroyed in the present war, the women of France have just completed an organization to insure their re-furnishing. The population in the invaded districts they assert will be as helpless to refurbish the homes as they would be to rebuild them.

The "Union Fraternelle des Femmes" is the organization which has just perfected the project. Madame Amelia Hammer, the president, has just explained to the United States what is to be undertaken and how it is to be accomplished.

"Our work," she said, "is to be as much moral as it is social. We propose merely to help the unfortunate and not to give them charity. Every person whose home has been destroyed and who is unable to refurbish the new one which the government builds for them, will have help from us in just the degree they need. If absolutely imperative, we will furnish their homes without expectation of repayment. But the others will pay us back in installments in conformity with their possibilities."

While it is inevitable that Paris will be the center and the brain of this work and this organization, they have already perfected the details for other centers to participate in it. In all of the provinces adjacent to the invaded districts we have arranged for at least one city to be a depot for supplying the furnishings to the new houses. This will give a quicker response to the needs of the destroyed villages and isolated houses and will also result in a distribution of the work that will be involved in the manufacture of the household equipment necessary."

France is already making a reasonable use of her war prisoners in keeping up the necessary manual labor of the nation.

For the time being at least, the sending of the prisoners to Algeria and Morocco, where thousands have been employed almost from the first days of the war, has been temporarily abandoned. They are now being utilized closer to home.

In Corsica about 3,000 are now being worked in the mines. In the agricultural districts of France about 450 are being worked at Puy-de-Dome; about 1,050 in Brittany, while another lot is used in railway construction along the north coast, while large contingents are being utilized in other public works in the Champagne, Creuse, Ardeche and Herault.

## SWALLOWS TADPOLE FROG IS RECOVERED

GOSHEN, Ind., April 16.—Johnnie Wolf is approaching the age of 20 months and is sound and happy. He didn't have a frog in his throat; it was in his stomach.

The youngster began losing weight despite a hearty appetite, and mother had visions of a tapeworm. The boy's stomach was photographed via X-ray, and a big lump was seen. Doctors operated and brought out a half-pound milk-fed frog in the best of health.

Mrs. Harry Wolf believes Johnnie swallowed a tadpole when they visited Mrs. Robert Gregory, his grandmother, in ySracuse. They drank hydrant water there.

A Common Way. "Did young Jagers find an opening?" "Yes, and he's in a hole."—Baltimore American.

be shipped out of Austria-Hungary, Belgium, Bulgaria, Denmark, France, Germany, Great Britain, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, Roumania, Sweden, Switzerland, Egypt, Tunis, Union of South Africa, Australia (except to Great Britain), New Zealand and to some extent, out of Russia and Canada.

Great Britain, Ireland and Switzerland prohibit the export of all foodstuffs.

Producers were paid higher prices for their farm products during the past winter than in any recent year. On March 1, crop prices averaged about 7.6 per cent higher than on that date a year ago, 27.1 per cent higher than that date two years ago and 1.2 per cent higher than the average for seven years on March 1.

The level of prices for wheat decreased 1.7 per cent during the month from January 13 to February 15, while there had been an average increase for that period in the past five years of 1.4 per cent.

The average price on February 15 of meat animals (hogs, cattle, sheep and chickens) was \$6.46 a hundred pounds, as compared to \$7.27 a year ago, \$6.70 two years ago, \$5.54 three years ago, \$6.19 four years ago and \$6.71 five years ago on that date.

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Women from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from all sections of this great country, no city so large, no village so small but that some woman has written words of thanks for health restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. No woman who is suffering from the ills peculiar to her sex should rest until she has given this famous remedy a trial. Is it not reasonable to believe that what it did for these women it will do for any sick woman?

## Wonderful Case of Mrs. Crusen, of Bushnell, Ill.

BUSHNELL, ILL.—"I think all the trouble I have had since my marriage was caused by exposure when a young girl. My work has been housework of all kinds, and I have done milking in the cold and snow when I was too young to realize that it would hurt me. I have suffered very much with bearing down pains in my back and such miserable pains across me, and was very nervous and generally run down in health, but since I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my back never hurts me, my nerves are stronger, and I am gaining in health every day. I thank you for the great help I have received from your medicine, and if my letter will benefit suffering women I will be glad for you to print it."—Mrs. JAMES CRUSEN, Bushnell, Illinois.

## A Grateful Atlantic Coast Woman.

HODGSON, ME.—"I feel it a duty I owe to all suffering women to tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. One year ago I found myself a terrible sufferer. I had pains in both sides and such a soreness I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached, I had no appetite and was so nervous I could not sleep, then I would be so tired mornings that I could scarcely get around. It seemed almost impossible to move or do a bit of work and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman. I had no pains, slept well, had good appetite and was fat and could do almost all my own work for a family of four. I shall always feel that I owe my good health to your medicine."—Mrs. HAYWARD SOWERS, Hodgdon, Maine.

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## COMMUNITY CENTER SUCCESS

OSSEO, Wis., April 16.—The community center, theory idealized by progressive educators, has passed the experimental stage in Osseo. This city is to have a municipal opera house, an art gallery, a moving picture theater, a public library and a gymnasium; according to plans just launched by citizens.

One building—the school house—will house them all. The old school building, which has been the scene of many public meetings, is to be torn down.

Some time ago Dwight H. Perkins, an expert of community building, gave a talk here in which he said that building a school house for community center purposes as well as the regular schools needs, helps rather than hinders the regular school work. Also it is possible, he told the citizens, to secure the equipment for five buildings, so constructed, almost as cheaply as it could be secured for the one. The building, when completed, will give Osseo a model community structure.

"Vin Aigre." The term vinegar comes from "vin aigre" (sour wine), which indicates the source from which it was produced.

## AMATEUR GRAPPLERS MEET

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 16.—The cream of American amateur wrestlers gathered here today for the Amateur Union wrestling championship tournament at the exposition. The pick of mat artists were weeded out to meet here at recent eliminations contests in New York, Chicago and this city. Events scheduled are in the 108, 115, 125, 135, 153, 175 and over 175-pound classes.

## MRS. MELTON'S LETTER To Tired Worn-out Mothers

Jackson, Miss.—"I shall feel repaid for writing this letter if I can help any tired, worn-out mother or housekeeper to find health and strength as I have. I have a family of five, sew, cook and do my housework and I became very much run-down in health. A friend asked me to try Vinol. I did so and now I am well and strong and my old time energy has been restored. Vinol has no superior as a tonic for worn-out, run-down, tired mothers or housekeepers."—Mrs. J. N. MELTON, Jackson, Miss. Hoehschler Bros., druggist, LaCrosse, Wis., and at leading drug stores everywhere.

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# TOM MOORE CIGAR 10¢

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*You know how hard it is to get a good little  
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### OUTDOOR PROGRAM ABOUT TO START AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Winter Sports Will Be Left  
Off Soon to Make Way  
for Work in the  
Open

### CROSS COUNTRY INTRODUCED

Baseball, Track, Tennis and  
Cross Country Running  
Will Be on the Pro-  
gram

The opening of spring means one thing in Y. M. C. A. athletics—a change from winter sports, including handball, volleyball and basketball, to outdoor activities, the season of which is about to open.

Among the new activities will be tennis, baseball, track and cross country runs, the last of which is somewhat of an innovation at the association. Individual members have at times indulged in it, but not until this year has it been made a regular

part of the association athletic calendar. Entry sheets have been posted at the association for the four sports. Membership is open to members of the Y. M. C. A. It is expected that upwards of one hundred men will align themselves actively with one or more of the sports.

**Use Playground Courts**  
As in former years, the Jackson street playground courts will be used by net enthusiasts, besides at which citizens of La Crosse are invited by the school to play. Play has already been started by a few members. The plans are to form the tennis program into a tournament, such as was conducted last fall in the county championship play, but with a longer season.

**Baseball Men Out**  
Baseball will be taken on actively at the association as soon as the present athletic program is concluded. Many men who are now playing in the handball, volleyball and basketball programs will sign up for work on the diamond. Present plans include the forming of several teams into a league and possibly a picked team to represent the association in games with the high and normal schools and the semi-professional clubs of the city. Much talent is to be found among members of the association.

Work on the track is expected to prove somewhat more of a task for

Physical Director Lee, as the work has not in former years been carried on comprehensively. Many, however, have signified their intention of signing up for work on the cinders. Cross country running, as now planned, is expected to prove one of the most interesting of the activities. The sport is new to the association and is drawing considerable interest. Work is expected to start soon.

### CROSS SMOTHERS MOHR

NEW YORK, April 16.—Reports today from Waterbury, Conn., tell of a smothering defeat by Leach Cross of Walter Mohr of Brooklyn in fifteen rounds there last night. Mohr started on the aggressive but Cross had him covering up in the remaining fourteen rounds.

### HARVEY MATCHED WITH WELSH

NEW YORK, April 16.—Johnny Harvey, the little Harlem Italian, has been matched to go twelve rounds with Freddie Welsh at Columbus, Ohio, April 23.

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and your nerves are in bad condition,  
we recommend

**ReXall** Olive Oil  
Emulsion  
containing Hypophosphites  
a food and nerve tonic prescription.  
C. T. Erhart.

### WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD BY HAL SHERIDAN (Written for the United Press.)

To the Rt. Hon. Richard De Marquis goes the honor of heading this col. today. The elongated eccentric of grasshopping tactics made thirty Dodgers wish he had stayed with the Federal league by allowing them nary a hit in nine innings, putting over a no hit, no run game.

Branch Rickey began where he left off Wednesday and again used almost his entire squad. Sixteen men aided in the Sox winning.

The Newark Feds took a nifty trimming from the Brook-Feds. Benjie Kauff playing a large part in defeating his old mates with three hits.

Ray Fisher passed eight men in the Yankee-Senator game, but won out with a lot of luck and some classy fielding.

The Athletics not only were defeated, but Wallie Schang was injured and will be out of the game for three weeks with a split hand.

Ty Cobb and Ole Sam Crawford got four of the Tigers' five blows and Cleveland, as usual, was licked. Gadzoos! The Braves took another licking from Pat Moran's Phunmy Phila. Stallings' better get out his triumphant trio.

Mordecai Brown chucked good

ball for the Whales, but his mates were asleep at the bridge behind him and he went down to defeat. Larry Cheney and Bill Doak had a neat little pitching quarrel, but Bill had the edge on support and won out handily.

### BROOK FEDS SCORE TEN RUNS IN FIFTH

BROOKLYN, N. Y., April 16.—The Brooklyn Federals established a season's record on Thursday when they scored ten runs in the fifth inning against Newark, defeating the visitors 17 to 6. Fifteen batters faced Whitehouse and Billard in the big inning of the game, 6 hits, 5 passes, 2 errors, 2 steals and a wild pitch accounting for the high total of runs. Seaton had a hitless game up to the sixth. President Gilmore witnessed the game. Score: R H E Brooklyn .0102 1004x—17 14 4 Newark .0101 0300—6 5 5 Batteries: Whitehouse, Billard, Brandon and Rariden; Seaton, Land and Watson.

**HOLIDAY AT NEWARK**  
NEWARK, N. J., April 16.—A half holiday was declared today for King Baseball. The Newark Federals play their first at home game with the Baltimore Terrapins. A parade of the Federals and amateur players will precede the Harrison park de-

but.

## SPORTS

### RUBE MARQUARD IS HERO OF NO-HIT MIX WITH DODGERS

The Rube Lets but Three  
Men Reach First Base in  
Game Yesterday in  
New York

### DRIVES IN THE SECOND RUN

Faber Holds Browns Help-  
less While His Team-  
mates Run in Sixteen  
Scores

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York 2; Brooklyn 0  
NEW YORK, April 16.—Rube Marquard, who jumped to the Brooklyn Federals during the winter and then jumped back to New York, celebrated his return to organized baseball by pitching a no hit game and shutting out the Brooklyn Nationals, 2 to 0.

Only three men reached first base on Marquard, two on bases on balls and one on an error by Fletcher. Only three balls were hit to the outfield. Marquard also helped to win his own game by driving in the second run scored on Rucker. Score: R H E Brooklyn .00000000—0 0 1 New York .00010010x—2 9 1 Batteries: Rucker, Ragon and Miller; Marquard and Meyers.

**Cards 4; Cubs 2**  
CHICAGO, April 16.—St. Louis beat Chicago, 4 to 2, in a listless game on Thursday. Score: R H E St. Louis .004000000—4 5 1 Chicago .010010000—2 5 1 Batteries: Doak and Glenn; Cheney, Standage and Archer.

**Reds 2; Pirates 1**  
CINCINNATI, O., April 16.—Cincinnati evened up matters with Pittsburgh by winning the second game of the series here on Thursday, 2 to 1. Score: R H E Pittsburgh .000100000—1 5 1 Cincinnati .00000110x—2 8 0 Batteries: Harmon and Gibson; Benton and Dooin.

**Phils 7; Braves 1**  
BOSTON, April 16.—Philadelphia defeated Boston again on Thursday, 7 to 1. Score: R H E Philadelphia .004000300—7 9 2 Boston .001000000—1 7 3 Batteries: Myer and Killifer; Hughes, Strand and Gowdy.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Sox 16; Browns 0  
ST. LOUIS, April 16.—The Chicago Americans, bunched hits with errors and bases on balls in six innings Thursday afternoon, scored 16 runs against St. Louis, which failed to send a man across the plate. Faber was invincible. Score: R H E Chicago .720221002—16 15 0 St. Louis .000000000—0 7 5 Batteries: Faber, Schalk and Day; Hoch, Perryman, Baumgardner, Agnew, Alexander and Leary.

**Red Sox 5; Athletics 3**  
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 16.—Clever work by Lewis, at bat and on the bases, together with Speaker's fast running and a single by Hoblitzell in the ninth inning enabled Boston to defeat Philadelphia here on Thursday, 5 to 3. Score: R H E Boston .001100102—5 12 2 Philadelphia .000012000—3 7 1 Batteries: Collins, Mays and Carrigan; Bush, Wyckoff, Schang and McAvoy.

**Yanks 3; Nationals 1**  
NEW YORK, April 16.—Washington .000100000—1 5 1 Batteries: Fisher and Nunamaker; Harper, Ayers, Bentley and Henry.

**Tigers 5; Indians 4**  
CLEVELAND, April 16.—Cleveland .001000300—4 7 7 Detroit .00200300x—5 5 1 Batteries: Steen, Morton and O'Neill; Dauss and Stange.

**FEDERAL LEAGUE**  
Score: R H E Newark .0101 0300—6 6 5 Brooklyn .0102 1004x—17 14 4 Batteries: Whitehouse, Billard, Brandon and Rariden; Seaton, Land and Watson.

Score: R H E Buffalo .321000000—6 10 1 Baltimore .100000001—2 5 3 Batteries: Redient and Blair; Suggs, Smith and Owens.

Score: R H E Pittsburgh .002000010—3 7 0 Chicago .010000000—1 7 2 Batteries: Dickson and Berry; M. Brown, McConnell and Wilson.

Score: R H E St. Louis .000010200—3 10 3 Kansas City .000002011—4 11 1 Batteries: Davenport, Plank, Willets and Chapman; Johnson and Easterly.

**CURLEY WOULD PIT GIBBONS  
AND CLABBY FOR FINISH FIGHT**  
Promoter of Johnson-Willard Fuss Would Have the Two Fight to the Death Before Havana Crowd

NEW YORK, April 16.—A finish fight between Jimmy Clabby of Hammond, Ind., and Mike Gibbons of St. Paul, is the matchmaking endeavor today of Jack Curley, promoter of the Johnson-Willard fistic fuss. Curley would like to stage the fight at Havana.

**Too Fresh.**  
He—I'm not earning my salt. She—That's unfortunate, when you need salt so badly.—Boston Transcript.

## RECIPE TO CLEAR A PIMPLY SKIN

Pimples are Impurities  
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Through Skin Pores

Pimples, sores and boils usually result from toxins, poisons and impurities which are generated in the bowels and then absorbed into the blood through the very ducts which should absorb only nourishment to sustain the body.

It is the function of the kidneys to filter impurities from the blood and cast them out in the form of urine, but in many instances the bowels create more toxins and impurities than the kidneys can eliminate, then the blood uses the skin pores as the next best means of getting rid of these impurities which often break out all over the skin in the form of pimples.

The surest way to clear the skin of these eruptions, says a noted authority, is to get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of hot water each morning before breakfast for one week. This will prevent the formation of toxins in the bowels. It also stimulates the kidneys to normal activity, thus coaxing them to filter the blood of impurities and clearing the skin of pimples.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent drink which usually makes pimples disappear; cleanses the blood and is excellent for the kidneys as well.

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### Standing of Clubs

#### American League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	1	1	.500
Washington	1	1	.500
Cleveland	1	1	.500
Boston	1	1	.500
New York	1	1	.500
Detroit	1	1	.500
St. Louis	0	2	.000

#### National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	2	0	1.000
New York	2	0	1.000
Chicago	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	1	.500
Cincinnati	1	1	.500
Pittsburg	1	1	.500
Boston	0	2	.000
Brooklyn	0	2	.000

#### Federal League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	4	1	.800
Chicago	2	1	.667
Kansas City	4	2	.667
Newark	3	2	.600
Buffalo	2	3	.400
Pittsburg	2	3	.400
St. Louis	3	3	.500
Baltimore	1	2	.333

#### American Association

	W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	1	0	1.000
St. Paul	1	0	1.000
Indianapolis	1	0	1.000
Louisville	1	0	1.000
Minneapolis	0	1	.000
Kansas City	0	1	.000
Cleveland	0	1	.000
Columbus	0	1	.000

#### GAMES YESTERDAY

American League  
Chicago, 16; St. Louis, 0.  
Detroit, 5; Cleveland, 4.  
New York, 3; Washington, 1.  
Boston, 5; Philadelphia, 3.

National League  
New York, 2; Brooklyn, 0.  
Philadelphia, 7; Boston, 1.  
Cincinnati, 2; Pittsburg, 1.  
St. Louis, 4; Chicago, 2.

Federal League  
Kansas City, 4; St. Louis, 3.  
Brooklyn, 17; Newark, 6.  
Buffalo, 6; Pittsburg, 1.  
Pittsburg, 3; Chicago, 1.

American Association  
Milwaukee, 6; Minneapolis, 4.  
St. Paul, 11; Kansas City, 5.  
Indianapolis, 10; Cleveland, 1.  
Louisville, 3; Columbus, 0.

#### GAMES TODAY

American League  
Chicago at St. Louis.  
Cleveland at Detroit.  
Boston at Philadelphia.  
New York at Washington.

National League  
Brooklyn at New York.  
Philadelphia at Boston.  
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.  
St. Louis at Chicago.

Federal League  
Pittsburg at Chicago.  
Baltimore at Newark.

American Association  
Minneapolis at Milwaukee.  
Louisville at Columbus.  
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## SPOTLIGHTS

"The Mikado" will be the offering at the La Crosse Theater tonight and the La Crosse Theater Players will give way to the high school upon this occasion. On tomorrow afternoon the company will present "In Old Kentucky," the greatest race play ever written.

Saturday afternoon Miss Foster is going to give the school children a little party and reception. There will be "eats" and goodies of all kinds.

While Uncle Sam has been so busily engaged putting the great Atlantic fleet in shape for any possible contingency or action during these days of naval conflict abroad, Lyman H. Howe's photographers have been equally busy in filming the United States navy of 1915 in its entirety and all its manifold activities.

Beginning at the Brooklyn navy yards while the dreadnaughts New York, Texas, Wyoming were hurrying

## Week's Offering In Movieland As Seen in La Crosse

By N. D. Teris

Another week of excellent pictures has passed, and the management of La Crosse theaters advertise programs of note for the week to come.

Among the best pictures of the week, which included several noted stars and the best releases of the month, "Williamson's Under the Sea Pictures," rose head and shoulders above the rest. The Casino was besieged for seats as the society of La Crosse infringed upon the proposed city ordinance prohibiting automobiles to line the curbs on Main street.

While the great expense incurred in securing the pictures of the bottom of the ocean prohibited them from making a financial record for the local house, they were intensely entertaining from start to finish. No part of the pictures was disappointing, although one of the Williamson brothers, the inventors of the submarine tube, was forced to risk his own life in securing the picture of the "death" fight between a man and a savage shark, when the natives would not pose.

The pictures take one along ninety miles of ocean bottom in the Pacific. The life of the sea's floor is brought clearly within a few feet of the eyes of the person watching the picture.

Emerson in Sentimental Comedy John Emerson, Daniel Frohman's popular character star, is playing at the Bijou today in "The Bachelor's Romance," a famous sentimental comedy supported by Lorraine Hurling, another popular actress of screenland. Emerson will be remembered as playing "The Conspiracy," a Paramount picture.

Other productions of worth in La Crosse today are a Rex production, "Wolves of Society," with Frank Lloyd; "A Romance of the Backwoods," with popular Victor company stars, at the Lyric, and "Anne of the Mines," a Vitagraph, with Margaret Gibson, Myrtle Gonzales, William Duncan and George Stanley, at the Dome theater.

"The Silent Plea," one of the best pictures of the present week is attracting attention today at the Casino.

### The Bijou

Gaby Deslys, international star, again proved that the popularity of the actress is oftentimes enhanced with the first appearance in the once despised picture production, when she made her debut at the Bijou Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Her dancing was sensational.

The first of the Balboa Pathe features, "An Eye for an Eye," was shown at the Bijou Wednesday.

### Blanche Sweet Here

The Lasky Paramount company will introduce dainty Blanche Sweet at the Bijou Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, in "The Warrens of Virginia." La Crosse has been waiting for this picture for months. It has received the highest praise from the

### End of Runaway June

"Runaway June" has failed to make good in La Crosse, and has been discontinued at the Casino where they were inaugurated with the largest crowds that ever attended a serial moving picture in La Crosse.

The first installments of the picture were unique but repetition in the succeeding numbers failed to hold interest, and the attendance grew smaller and smaller.

Opinions as to the value of serial pictures generally vary, although the consensus among some of the larger moving picture producers whose predictions usually come true, is that they are not "staple," and are doomed to the "ashpile," and the "great beyond." Others maintain that serials will be the most popular productions "some day," although they have failed to make good in the full sense of the word as yet.

critics, "The Warrens of Virginia," is one of the biggest hits which David Belasco ever staged in the United States. The Los Angeles Press says: "It is the supreme civil war drama. It is a picture which cannot be missed by the person who calls himself a picture fan."

"Queen Margaret," one of the most beautiful pictures ever attempted, will be the drawing card at the Bijou Wednesday, "Pathe Day," at the local house. The Pathe has excelled in natural color pictures and in fact were the first to offer these.

### The Dome

Thomas Ince, a favorite Lubin actor, attracted large audiences at the Dome Monday in "Her Mother Was a Lady." A George Ade comedy was shown Tuesday. Installments of the "Perils of Pauline," were also shown on this date.

"Bottle's Baby," a dramatization of the celebrated novel of the same name by John Stranier, drew favor Wednesday and Thursday. The picture was a two part Edison featuring Robert Connors, Herbert Prior, and Mable Trunnelle. Norma Talmadge and Van Dyke Brooke appeared in "The Peck Maker" also.

"The False Guardian," a two reel Kalem is booked for the Dome Sunday. Alice Hollister, Harry Millarde, John E. Macklin, Henry Hallam, Robert Walker and Arthur Albertson will appear in the production.

Francis Ford as Lincoln Francis Ford, the man who made a life study of the characterization of Abraham Lincoln featured "The Heart of Lincoln," a picture dealing with the life of the martyred president, at the Lyric Monday. The Lyric showed an unusual "Imp" pro-

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duction Tuesday and Wednesday in "The Treason of Anatole," with Violet Mercereau and William Welch. "The Fox Trot Craze," a comedy, was also an attraction.

Warren Kerrigan Here Warren Kerrigan, the most popular star of Universal City, Cal., where the Universal pictures are made, will entertain Lyric patrons Sunday and Monday in "Smouldering Fire," a drama of the southwest. Lee Moran will play a laughable comedy, "Nellie the Pride of the Fire House," and Victor stars will show "The Golden Spider," a drama of power.

Casino Has Feature One of the really "big" features of the present week at local play houses is "The Silent Plea," at the

## Baby's Happiness Depends on Health

Cross, fretful babies usually need a laxative to make them comfortable, and comfort begets happiness. Constipation is the cause of much discomfort. Mothers should watch closely the condition of their children's bowels and see that they are regular.

A mild, pleasant tasting laxative such as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is ideal for children because of its natural composition and gentle action, and because it contains no opiate, narcotic or other harmful habit-forming drug. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is sold by druggists everywhere. A teaspoonful at bedtime will bring easy, certain relief.

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## "MARY ANN" OF MINNESOTA DIES A HARD DEATH

Holmberg Bill Abolishing Second Choice Vote Has Only One Dissenting Vote

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 16.—(Special.)—With only one dissenting vote the house late yesterday passed the N. J. Holmberg bill abolishing the second choice feature of the primary law and otherwise amending the statute. A. M. Peterson cast the only negative vote. The house unanimously passed the bill amending the presidential preference primary law, cutting out the allowing of \$150 for each delegate's expenses to a national convention, and making the ballot show the preference of each candidate for delegate as to the presidency. The elections committee bill adopting N. F. Garbo's ballot counting system for the state was defeated, 30 to 59. Mr. Garbo was allowed to explain the system to the house and members admitted that it had great merit, but objected to taking the step at this time.

La Bar Freed on Trial MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 16.—(Special.)—Dan La Bar, convicted of swindling E. W. Coyle of Mason City, Iowa, out of \$5,000 by a fake horse race scheme, and who had been in jail since the return of the verdict late Tuesday, was released from the county jail at noon yesterday, when District Judge C. S. Jelley approved bonds in the sum of \$25,000 furnished by Mrs. Mary A. Wood, 2924 First avenue south, mother of the defendant, and by Frank Salter, property owner by the sureties in Minneapolis and in Mower county was pledged as security for the bonds.

Tip Bill Made Joke ST. PAUL, Minn., April 16.—(Special.)—"I move it be referred to the drainage committee," shouted Senator A. J. Rockne today in the senate after a sharp debate over the bill of Representative G. W. Burrows making it a misdemeanor to take, give or solicit tips. The bill had come over from the house where it was passed Tuesday night. The senate laughed all the acerbity out of itself for the time and then agreed to the motion that the bill be referred by the lieutenant governor to any committee he might choose. Word then came from Madison, Wis., that the anti-tipping bill passed there had been signed by the governor.

Synod to Meet MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 16.—Rev. Maurice D. Edwards, secretary of the Minnesota Presbyterian synod, announced today that the synod will convene in Minneapolis October 12 at the First Presbyterian church. This is the annual convention that took place last year in Duluth. The Civic and Commerce association also reported today that the National Fraternal Congress of America will meet in Minneapolis August 23 to 27.

Mahua Flowers of India. It is estimated that in the central provinces of India alone 1,400,000 of the native people use the mahua flower as a regular article of food. Though found in a purely wild state in many parts of India, the value of the flowers and fruit has caused it to be brought under more or less cultivation. The economic value of the tree lies chiefly in its edible flowers and oil yielding seeds. The flowers are eaten extensively while fresh, but generally speaking they are dried thoroughly and cooked with rice and other grains. Sometimes they are completely dried and reduced to a powder and in this condition are cooked in round cakes and mixed with a variety of foodstuffs.

Blind Ants. It is reported by a famous entomologist that a species of white ant attacked the country home of an East Indian farmer, and in a short time ate many of the sills and floors of the house. These ants, according to the entomologists, have no eyes, can live only in darkness, and their food is wood. The entomologist also said that in many respects they resemble bees.

The Cause. "He wrote a lame apology." "No wonder; he had sprained his wrist."—Baltimore American.

Casino today, a Vitagraph picture "made for a purpose." The mission of the picture is to create interest in different states for the movement to pension widowed mothers. Various bills before state legislatures provide that widowed mothers shall be paid amounts necessary to maintain children in state institutions, which will allow the mothers to keep their children at home. The pictures were last week shown to the New York state legislature, where one of the bills is pending. Aside from the lesson they teach, they are of deep heart interest.

Casino Adopts Policy The Casino has adopted a fixed policy of showing a three part feature and a George Ade fable each Wednesday; a Broadway star feature every Friday, and the current Hearst-Selig weekly each Saturday. The management is making an endeavor to arrange bookings, so that theater patrons will know several days in advance, the programs to be shown.

Commencing next Sunday, the serial picture, "Zudora," will be shown only during the afternoon and at the supper hour on Sundays. At 7 o'clock Sunday evenings, a different picture will be substituted.

"Money" Coming The five part world feature "Money" will be shown next Monday melo-drama in which thrill follows thrill in rapid succession.

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## HOLD CONTRACTOR ALTHOUGH IDENTIFICATION IS MISTAKE

Murder Victim Unknown Today Following Discovery That Girl She Was Supposed to Be is Alive And Married

NEW YORK, April 16.—Despite the positive proof that the identification of the murder victim found in a barrel in the Bronx as Miss Claudia Hansbury, was a mistake, the police today failed to release Rafael Picullo, a contractor, arrested as a suspect. Claudia Hansbury, now Mrs. William W. Burns, is alive and at her home in Troy.

Picullo was taken into custody when a fountain pen found near the scene of the crime was traced to him. Letters written by Claudia Hansbury and taken from the contractor, are the basis on which the police connect him with the affair.

Miss Bertha Wilson and Mrs. Annie McGovern, two local friends of Miss Hansbury controverted earlier identifications. The marriage of a Claudia Hansbury to W. H. O'Donnell in Brooklyn, is being proved.

### The Word "British."

"The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland" has, since January 1, 1801, been the official title of the political unity composed of England, Scotland and Ireland. In this sense the word "British" applies to Ireland, but in no other. Politically the "British Isles" include England, Scotland and Ireland.

## JANE ADDAMS WILL PRESIDE AT WOMEN'S PEACE CONFERENCE



Jane Addams' latest photograph. Miss Jane Addams of Chicago has just left for The Hague, where she will preside at the Women's Peace Conference. The conference is to be held under the auspices of Holland women who are working for peace, and will be attended by women from the neutral nations.

## POEHLING'S

At the same place on 114 South Fourth street. Come and see the bargains for Saturday.

50c Silk Hose	25c	15c Gingham	7 1/2c
at pair .....		at yard .....	
\$1.50 Shirt Waists	95c	10c Bleached	7c
at .....		Muslin at yard .....	
\$10.00 Spring	\$7.95	20c Racine Hose	15c
Coats at ....		at pair .....	

PRICES GOOD SATURDAY ONLY.

## POEHLING'S

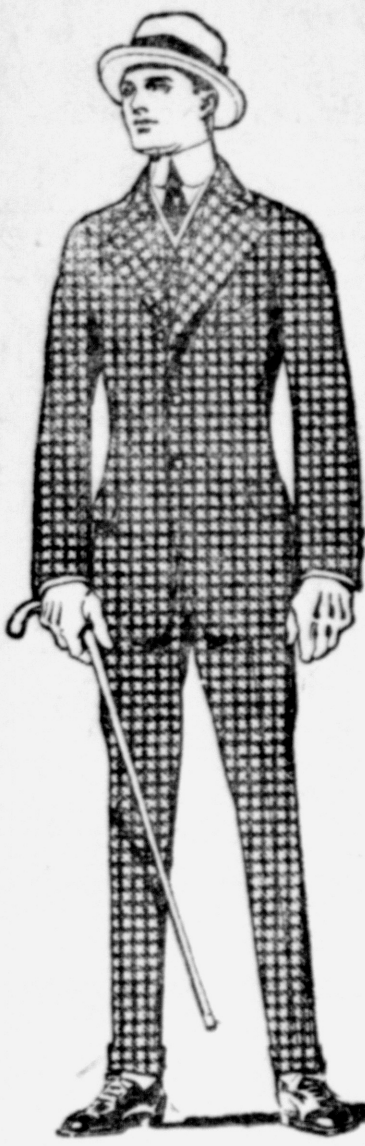
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## "AERIAL INSANITY" OF HOOSIER YOUTH

### AT EXPO MAKES BIG CROWDS TURN PALE



Art Smith in his aeroplane at San Francisco.

Art Smith, the daring boy aviator of Fort Wayne, Ind., is making big crowds turn pale at San Francisco. Probably not in the history of aviation, certainly never in America, has there been so reckless and daring a flyer. At San Francisco the other day in a tremendous gale he made twenty-two consecutive loops with his machine. Smith says he has "aerial insanity."

## NORTH SIDE

### ROBT. HAUSER DIES

#### AFTER MANY YEARS

#### RESIDENCE HERE

Thirty-five Years on North Side Was Record of Aged Pioneer of La Crosse County

Robert Hauser, one of the oldest residents of the North side, and a resident of La Crosse county for more than sixty years, died at 5 o'clock this morning at the St. Francis hospital, after an illness extending over several months. He was 65 years of age.

Mr. Hauser was born in Berne, Switzerland, in 1849. He came to this country with his parents at the age of two years. The parents settled on a farm on the North Salem road, which later was run by the son. He lived on the homestead until 35 years ago, when he took up his residence in La Crosse. He had lived here ever since, for the last few years living with his son, Jacob Hauser, 1443 Berlin street.

Funeral services Monday. Surviving him are two sons, Jacob and Erwin of La Crosse; one sister, Mrs. John Nesler, La Crosse, and two brothers, Theodore of La Crosse, and John of the town of Campbell. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Second German Methodist church, Rev. B. C. Brandenburg officiating. Interment will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

### North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store. Arch supporters, Fred Nordengren, who has been the guest of friends and relatives in Red Wing, has returned to his home at 1346 Caledonia street.

Mrs. F. W. Krueger, 312 Caledonia street, will leave soon for Milwaukee for a visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Louise Larson, Houston, is spending the week end at the home of her parents, 1308 Caledonia St. Miss Nellie Robinson, who has been the guest of north side friends has returned to her home in Sparta.

Mrs. W. A. Colgan, 513 Caledonia street, will leave soon for Milwaukee for a few days' visit.

Fred Sunway, 1216 Still street, is spending a few days in Sparta.

Mrs. Ed Preutz who has been visiting relatives and friends in Seneca, Wis., has returned to her home at 1403 George street.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Nelson are moving their family and household furniture from 1644 Berlin to 1352 Caledonia street.

Mrs. Gus Apel, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Merwin, 1614 Wood street, has returned to her home in Galesville.

Mrs. J. Harrison, 1202 Avon street, has returned after spending a few days in Minneapolis.

### MISS MELBO ENTERTAINS

The Young People's society of Bethel Lutheran church will be entertained this evening in the church parlors by Miss Avida Melbo.

### MUNICIPAL SALOON

#### SUPPORTS SCHOOLS

#### Strong Prohibition Worker

#### Is Manager of the City-owned Bar in Lemmon, S. D.

LEMMON, S. D., April 16.—If business keeps up for the next two months as it has since last July Lemmon's municipal saloon will have contributed approximately \$12,000 toward the schools and municipal improvements. The monthly profit of Lemmon's one saloon is \$1,000 a month.

Before the last law limiting the number of saloons per capita throughout the state, Lemmon, with a population of 1,255 inhabitants, had eight saloons. Competition was keen and to make their respective saloons "attractive" some of them became the lowest manner of dives. When the per capita law was passed, Lemmon was allowed two saloons. There was intense rivalry for the two licenses. A proposition that the city go into the saloon business was put to a vote and failed.

Then the Lemmon Civic association was formed after the city last spring adopted the commission form of government. The association included men of many different walks of life and business. Ministers were among the membership. The association was given a saloon license. A manager, one of the strongest prohibition workers in the city, was appointed. He receives no salary. The two barkeepers receive such good salaries that graft of any kind is eliminated. By the association's rules the sale of liquor is not pushed. A blacklist contains the names of persons who cannot buy liquor here. Patrons who once show a disposition to peek even one time too frequently into the cup that cheers are blacklisted. Known drunkards may not enter the saloon; neither may persons whose families are known to be in want. Mayor B. R. Watt is one of the strongest boosters of Lemmon's municipal saloon.

Too often the stork lights on a man's roof when the wolf is at the door.

## Saturday Specials

Sugar, 4 pounds	24c
Corn, 2 cans	15c
Armour's Canned Beans, 10c size, 2 cans for	15c
Peas, 2 cans for	15c
Calumet Baking Powder, pound can	22c
K. C. Baking Powder, 1 pound can	22c
Corn Flakes, package	5c
Dried Peaches, per pound	9c
Dried Apricots, per pound	15c
Monsoon Raspberries, per can	14c
Dill Pickles, 1 quart jar	9c
F. brand Olives, per jar	23c
Lemons, 300 size, extra large, per dozen	15c
Grape Fruit, good size, each	5c
Rhubarb, 3 pounds for	10c

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Every saloon, grocer, confectioner should carry a stock, and every family should keep it on hand—IN THE ICE BOX.

## North Side Bottling Works

La Crosse, Wis.

### WEATHER BULLETIN

	(Lo)	(Hi)	(P)
Boston	40	48	
Charleston	48	64	
New York	38	60	
Washington	36	64	
Galveston	64	70	
Jacksonville	52	68	
New Orleans	60	80	
Chicago	46	66	
La Crosse	54	80	
Madison	44	74	
Memphis	54	74	
Milwaukee	38	66	
Hismarck	52	68	
Kansas City	52	82	
St. Paul	50	70	
Boise	44	68	
Denver	44	60	
Helena	40	60	
Miles City	44	52	
Portland, Ore.	52	78	
Spokane	44	70	
Medicine Hat	40	72	

### DOPE FARMER CHECKS CRIME

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 16.—Police authorities of this city believe that the curtailment of the drug supply, brought about by the Harrison anti-narcotic law, will be a powerful factor in eradicating the wave of crime which has reigned here during the last year.

Since the law went into effect, according to Superintendent of Police Robinson, there has been a noted decrease in the number of robberies and other crimes. He is positive that the rigid enforcement of the law against the sale and possession of habit-forming drugs is responsible for the decrease.

Amry Tubbs' gal said she wouldn't marry a man without a title, so he went and got one. He now has the title H. D., meaning hoss doctor.

Send us your order and it will be looked after properly.

Sunkist Lemons, 300 size, per dozen	15c
Rhubarb or Pie Plant, 3 pounds	10c
Lettuce, per box	23c
Lettuce, per pound	13c
Flour is higher, but we sell Bread per loaf	5c
Yeast Foam, 3 packages for	10c
Gasoline, 5 gallons for	60c
Red Onion Sets, per pound	5c
New Garden Seeds, 4 packages	5c
Acme Coffee, Try it and you will buy it. The price per pound	30c
Peanut Butter by the pound	15c
Apple Butter by the pound	10c

**John Mulder**

## Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

\$15,000 to Store \$1,118 Worth  
NEW YORK.—Household goods in storage twenty-seven years and upon which \$15,000 storage charges were paid, brought \$1,118 at auction.

Would Recall Swindler Mayor  
OSSINING, N. Y.—The "low brow" faction of Sing Sing convicts are agitating a recall election of "Mayor" W. J. Cummings, bank swindler, of the civic prison administration.

Court Says Foy's Daughter Can Sing  
NEW YORK.—Eddie Foy was convicted in special sessions of having a young daughter who can sing, violating an ordinance against minor children singing on the stage. Sentence suspended.

Drys Oppose Wilson Policy  
WASHINGTON, D. C.—National

"drys" announced they would oppose for president anybody who favored state control of liquor problems, which would include Woodrow Wilson.

### Women May Serve in Elections

CHICAGO.—County Judge Scully has reversed a former decision and ruled that women may serve as judges and clerks of election.

### U. S. Employees Object to Hustle

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Because of the introduction of the "speeding up" system, 1,400 Washington navy yard employees are threatening to strike.

### Cleveland Leaves Pop for Pop

CLEVELAND, Ohio.—Cleveland is going to be full of "pop" this summer. That's the probable name of the new municipal substitute for "pop" to be sold at the city parks.

### City's Broke—Official Retires

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio.—Because he thinks the city is broke, Joseph N. Highley, president of the council, won't run for mayor this year.

"It'd take a Rockefeller to save the town," he says.

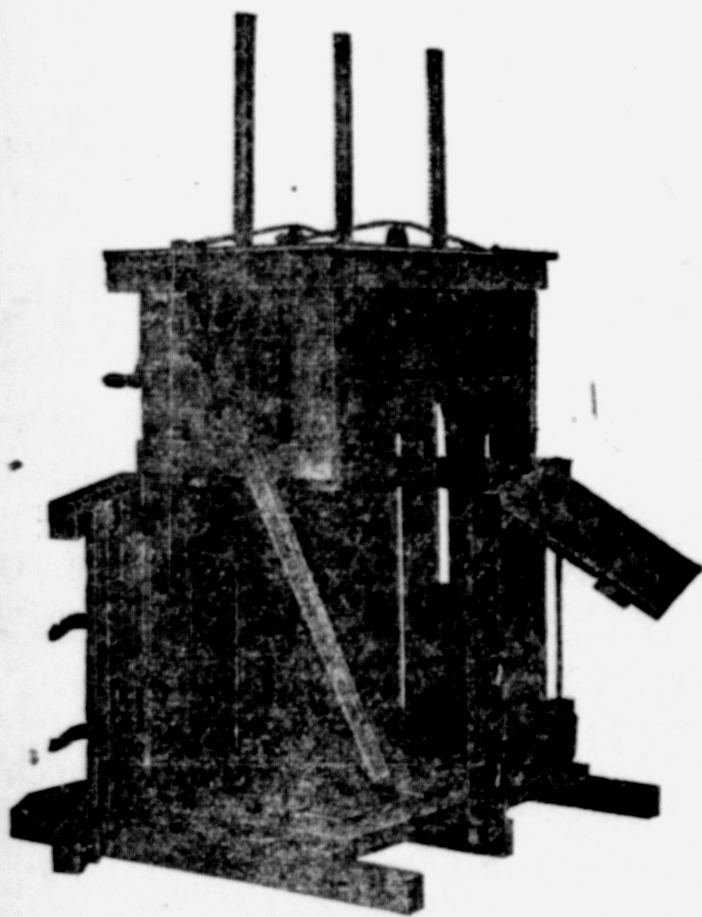
### STOCK QUARANTINE MODIFIED

DALLAS, Texas, April 16.—The quarantine against the world adopted a few months ago by Texas to protect this state from the introduction of the foot and mouth disease was slackened partly today. Interchange of cattle without quarantine restrictions was permitted between Texas, Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado, in accordance with an agreement entered into by representatives of these states at the recent American Livestock association convention in San Francisco.

### EQUINE BLUEBLOODS PARADE

NEW YORK, April 16.—The 23rd annual horse show of Brooklyn opens its doors tonight, with prominent horse fanciers filling the stalls. There will be competitions in 52 classes. The exhibition will close Saturday night.

# Protect Yourself Against Fire and Let Your Waste Paper Pay Your Insurance



The average business man does not realize the amount of waste paper he has each year, or its commercial value, when it is baled by heavy pressure and wired, making it convenient to handle, with freight rate much lower than on hay.

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While local paper buyers cannot afford to waste time picking up loose paper even if it were given to them, they will pay good price per ton when baled and come after it.

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# BUSINESS MEN'S PAPER PRESS

WAYLAND

MICHIGAN

### PAYS \$8,500 TO LEARN NEW GAME

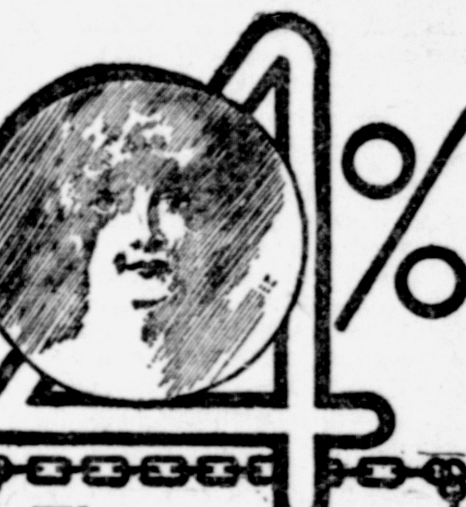
NEW YORK, April 16.—It cost Louis Holzfurtner, hotel man and restaurateur from Milwaukee just \$8,500 to learn a new game called "stock exchange." As a result Harry Lewis, who says he is a metal broker, is under arrest today.

Holzfurtner met two New Yorkers in Milwaukee and was induced to come here to invest in stocks, he says. While waiting for the right time the Milwaukee man was inveigled into the new game and lost his money. The police say an old safe robber tipped off Holzfurtner to the bunko men.

### MILITIA IS URGED TO CLOSE SALOONS

CHICAGO, April 16.—Use of the state militia, to close Chicago's saloons on Sunday as required by law, will be suggested to Governor Dunne by the Chicago Law and Order league and the Anti-Saloon league, according to a report which leaked out of the anti-saloon league headquarters.

Robert H. Patton, prohibition gubernatorial candidate, admitted that the governor would be appealed to in the fight to close the ground or more Chicago saloons which run all day Sunday.



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## FIRE HALTS FIREMEN'S BALL

PEORIA, Ill., April 16.—The

Western Union Telegraph company

offices were temporarily out of business

today as the result of a \$5,000

fire in the board of trade building.

The alarm caused twenty firemen to

leave the grand march at the annual

firemen's ball. Two firemen were

overcome by smoke.

## SEE and HEAR

Edison's Wonderful

New Disc

Phonograph

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## Personals

B. A. Yeomen meeting, dance, Tues.

John Devlin, Viroqua, spent yesterday

in the city on business.

D. Schroeder, Chatfield, Minn.,

was a business caller in the city yesterday

for a short time.

E. V. Sebo, Mindoro, called on business

friends in the city yesterday.

Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra

tomorrow.

John O. Torud, Peterson, Minn.,

spent yesterday with friends and relatives

in the city.

Lars O. Vaaler has returned to his

home in Spring Grove, after being

the guest of friends in the city yesterday.

Have you reserved your tickets

for the Music Festival?

T. M. Smith, Waukon, Iowa, transacted

business in the city Thursday.

A. F. Schubert has returned to his

home in Genoa, after spending yesterday

in the city.

J. C. Graf, Freeburg, Minn., was the

guest yesterday of friends and relatives

in the city.

Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra

tomorrow.

Dr. J. M. Furstman, city health

commissioner, was a business visitor

in Madison yesterday.

W. W. Wittenberg, Milwaukee,

was a business caller in La Crosse

yesterday.

F. P. Brooks, St. Paul, transacted

business in the city yesterday for a

short time.

The "Messiah" sung by the Normal

Choral Society of two hundred

voices Monday evening.

W. S. Kimble, Dubuque, called on

business friends in the city on

Thursday.

Rudolph Wenzel, Rushford, Minn.,

was the guest of friends and relatives

in the city yesterday.

S. B. Snow, St. Paul, called in the

city yesterday on business.

Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra

tomorrow.

L. N. Schumacher, Minneapolis,

was a business visitor in La Crosse

for a few hours yesterday.

J. A. Hunt, New York, transacted

business in the city yesterday.

J. M. Thompson, La Moille, Minn.,

was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Six famous soloists will sing the

Music Festival at the Normal. Have

you your tickets?

H. A. Brown, Grand Forks, N. D.,

transacted business here yesterday.

M. A. Gauper, Viroqua, spent yesterday

with friends in the city.

P. J. Collins, Minneapolis, was a

La Crosse caller yesterday.

Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra

tomorrow.

O. D. Orecourt, Minneapolis, transacted

business in the city Thursday.

A. K. Ross returned yesterday

from a trout fishing trip with a catch

of twenty-five which he is exhibiting

to his friends about town.

J. P. Moore and A. S. Ross are

showing a catch of thirty trout which

they took on a fishing trip near

Bangor yesterday. Five of them

weigh over a pound each.

If you want a carriage get the

Gateway City Trif. Co. Phone 179.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Jaekel and

daughter, Emma, returned to their

home here today from Mindoro,

where they attended the Storandt-

Felbinger wedding.

W. W. Binkerton, Davenport, Ia.,

was a business visitor here yesterday.

P. Schumaker, McGregor, Ia.,

spent yesterday at a local hotel.

I. D. Rawson was a business visitor

in La Crosse yesterday from Du-

bucque, Ia.

Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra

tomorrow.

DeForest C. Dewey, superintendent

of the La Crosse Rescue mission

and wife are aiding in meetings at

the St. Paul Rescue mission this

week.

W. R. Greenwald, Friendship,

Wis., transacted business and visited

friends here yesterday.

Judge Leonard Kleeber and Bert

A. Jolivet returned yesterday with a

trout catch of nineteen.

## A PLEA FOR WIDOWED MOTHERS

The National association for the

Relief of Widowed Mothers has had

recourse to the motion pictures to

awaken interest in their work. The

Vitagraph company was appealed to,

and in co-operation with the asso-

ciation's secretary, Sophie Irene

Loeb, a three part picture was pro-

duced. The pictures tell the story of

a young widow left penniless with

two children. She finds herself un-

able to support them and they are

taken from her and placed in an in-

stitution. Growing entirely away

from her good influence, they be-

come incorrigible and shortly after

the children are returned to her.

The little widow desperately appeals

to an old friend, a senator. Her story

incites him to an impassioned speech

in favor of the widowed mother's al-

lowance bill which is successfully

passed.

The picture not only thrills with

its dramatic power and intense pur-

pose, but will provide food for

thought, in that it takes our minds

from the ordinary channels of life

and shows it from a new viewpoint.

The title of the picture is "The Silent

Plea." It will be shown today at

the Casino.

LACK OF PILLS WAR HORROR

ST. PAUL, April 16.—The great-

est horror of the European war is

the shortage of cigarettes, accord-

ing to Armand N. Fernbach, here to-

day. He has been on the firing

line. Confidence oozes from him as

he tells that the allies will be in

Berlin by December, and that the

French ambassador to Berlin before

the war broke out will represent

France at peace negotiations when

they are finally declared. King Al-

bert of Belgium, he declared, is bet-

ter loved by Frenchmen than even

President Poincare or General Jof-

fre. He says there is no suffering in

the trenches, because this to the

French is sweet.

## LEWIS REMEDY OF POSTAL IGNORANCE

Maryland Congressman Is

Compendium of Useful

Information Concerning

Uncle Sam's Mails

HIS HOBBY IS POSTALIZATION

Pet Idea Is Federal Pur-

chase and Operation of

Telephone and Tele-

graph Systems

BY BURTON K. STANDISH

(Written for the United Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 16.—When-

ever any member of the house of rep-

resentation wishes to know about

postal affairs, wishes to bolster up an

impending speech with few facts, and

hasn't time to get in touch with the

postoffice department, he has always

the alternative of asking Representative

David J. Lewis of Maryland.

Lewis is a simple and sure remedy

for ignorance concerning the post-

office, if taken in time and in suffi-

cient doses. He is as full of infor-

mation regarding the mails as Rep-

resentative James A. Mann is regard-

ing parliamentary precedents or Sen-

ator La Follette regarding the rail-

roads.

Right off the bat he could tell you,

if you wanted to know, how much it

would cost you to send a dozen

china eggs from your home in Blue-

field to your aunt in Billings, Mont.,

and if you asked further, he'd tell

you just how much profit the govern-

ment made on the shipment and how

much the railroad made.

Would Postalize Telephone

Congressman Lewis is a great be-

liever in the possibilities of the post-

office and his present pet idea is the

postalization of the telephone and

telegraph. Commenting on the advo-

cacy of this move by Postmaster Bur-

leson, he said the other day:

"Mr. Burleson's predecessors for

50 years have given like counsel. The

principal countries of the world, the

United States alone excepted, have

already postalized these agencies.

Why? Briefly, because the postoffice

alone has the motive and the facili-

ties to make rates low enough to

render service to all the people. Be-

fore the parcel post we had the high-

est parcel rates. They are now

among the lowest in the world. We

still have the highest telegraph rates.



**I**F YOU are running short of your own home made Jams, Jellies and Preserves, we have a very complete line of these goods at very reasonable prices. Special prices by the half dozen.

Tomorrow is the last day of the Armour's Grape Juice demonstration. Now is a good time to lay in your summer's supply of this delicious drink at reduced prices.

We want to emphasize the importance of our prompt delivery service. Our system of delivering makes it possible for you to receive your order just when you want it.

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables received daily. The best of everything to eat always on hand.

Jersey Sweet Potatoes. The last shipment of the season just received.

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"Good Things To Eat"

## SPORT WRITER AND FIGHT PROMOTER OF OKLAHOMA CITY WILLARD'S DISCOVERERS



Charles J. Brill, a sport writer of Oklahoma City, Okla., and J. D. Brock, a fight promoter of the same town, are hailed as the discoverers of Jess Willard. From western Oklahoma, where he had been working as an overland freighter, Willard went to Oklahoma City in December, 1910, to buy some clothes. He had never at that time been on the inside of an athletic club. Brock and Brill happened to spy Willard on this visit. They asked him why he should continue to drive mules when he might return the heavyweight championship to the white race. Willard calmly thought the matter over, then declared: "I believe I can do it." From that day he began to train for the great battle with Jack Johnson which was to win him the championship.



Jess Willard (photographed since Havana fight) and Charles J. Brill.

## TRADE EXPANDING SAYS J. V. FARWELL

CHICAGO, April 16.—The weekly trade review issued by the John V. Farwell company tomorrow says:

"Although conservatism and wise caution still prevails in the dry goods and general merchandise business, it is felt that the tide has turned and the tendency now is towards expansion. Reconstruction, elimination and careful intelligent buying is on a better basis. The brisk sale of white goods which has sprung up since Easter is fulfilling earlier predictions that this is going to be a big white goods year. Sharp demand for shepherd checks continues."

### The World's Negroes.

It is officially estimated that there are 170,000,000 real negroes in the world.

## N. A. MAGNUSSEN & SON.

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812 Market Street

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## SUGAR—8 lbs. 50c

Pompeian Olive Oil, 25c size. 22c

Pompeian Olive Oil, 50c size. 43c

With the following combination we will give one bottle of Snyder's Catsup free.

1 bottle 16 oz. Salad Dressing.

per bottle ..... 25c

1 bottle pint Grape Juice ..... 25c

1 bottle 8 oz. Chili Sauce ..... 15c

1 bottle 7 oz. Peanut Butter ..... 15c

1 bottle 8 oz. Catsup ..... 15c

1 bottle 8 oz. Catsup ..... Free

95c

## JONES' MASQUE IS BIG ACHIEVEMENT OF NORMAL SCHOOL

Masterwork of Local Author Has All-city Appeal as a Civic Event

MUSIC ALSO BY LOCAL MAN

Prof. Homer Cotton Is Composing and Scoring Music and Dr. Sputh Is Originating Dances

(By Henry Noble Sherwood, Ph. D.)

The normal school is always doing something along progressive lines. It supports a high class lecture course and arranges for the best musical concerts. It resurrects the dim past by the dramatization of stirring historical events and turns clumsy pedagogues into admirable amateurs before the footlights. We have all enjoyed Mlle. Jenny Dufau and the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra; Miss Robson's drama of colonial life and Esmeralda. And now it proposes to give us as part of the festivities of Commencement week the "Masque of Marsh and River," written by Howard Jones, our own local celebrity.

This new proposition makes its first appeal to us because its author is the product of La Crosse. As a member of our high school he was not only conspicuous for his scholarship and activities in the student organizations but also for his contributions to the local press. In our normal school he kept up this splendid record and confirmed us in our opinion that he was destined to make his mark. As an undergraduate in the university of Wisconsin he made Phi Beta Kappa and won the Iron Cross; as a graduate student in the University of Chicago he has further distinguished himself. One of the few of his many achievements during this present collegiate year is the production of the "Masque of Marsh and River," the presentation of which will make commencement week at the normal school the most unique in the history of the institution and most especially interesting for La Crosse and its environs.

Another reason why this feature of commencement week should have an all-city appeal to us is the civic nature of the event. Howard Jones could not grow up amid these hills and massive bluffs, by the side of our rivers and beautiful parks and lawns, and not feel that nature had bedecked La Crosse with most artistic robes. In the "Masque of Marsh and River" he gives us a poet's appreciation—for he is a poet—of our physical environment and local scenery. We shall hear the chirp of our crickets, the notes of our trees, the song of our prairie Mississippi and the voice of Grandpa.

Now it takes all this to make a masque. And not only this; it takes music and dancing and pageantry. Professor Homer E. Cotton is now at work composing and orchestrating the music to be used for the songs and dances, and Dr. Carl B. Sputh is arranging the latter for the performance. The selection of the costumes is also being made by a faculty member assisted by an expert from the University at Madison. The dancers in the masque, chosen from the faculty, will furnish pageantry of the most spectacular sort, and in their winsome steps delight the most critical eye—for the spirit of June will dance, and the spirit of Sunrise, and Sunset and Midnight.

But it takes more than this to constitute a masque. There is the story—not a complex, interwoven story, but a very simple, easy one. Here is the dramatic side of the masque. The caste has already been chosen and Mr. Jones himself will play the leading part. Of course the whole thing is symbolic, leaving a faint ethical glow on the field, nevertheless it is all easy to grasp and follow, and sufficiently diversified to interest everybody.

From this short description of the manner in which the "Masque of Marsh and River" will be presented it appears that the undertaking is by far the most gigantic the normal school has as yet attempted. A member of the faculty who is intensely interested in it, said yesterday that as an event in the life of the normal school it would be a record breaker.

The fete day exercises of previous years will be suspended this commencement in order that all energy may be directed toward the success of the masque. In its appeal, furthermore, it is more far reaching than any other past performance. As a school affair it appeals to the student body; as the product of a local young man, it appeals to the high school and city of La Crosse; as a production with a local setting it appeals to this community and its immediate environs. And if its presentation meets with success of a similar performance at the University of North Dakota it will interest the reading public because some of our national magazines wrote up that event. Leading periodicals also gave much space to Percy Macaye's Bird Masque recently presented in Massachusetts. We believe it will, for all ready Mr. Jones, the author, has received a letter from one of our noted state universities asking if his masque can be given before its student body. Withal we predict that it will put La Crosse on the map for a unique sort of activity, and give her the most possible advertisement and publicity.

### Nature's Justice.

Nature is just toward men. It recompenses them for their sufferings; it renders them laborious, because to the greatest toils it attaches the greatest rewards.—Montesquieu.

## THE CASINO

See our ad. on page six. (Look it up right now.)

## THE DOME

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY Margaret Gibson in "ANNE OF THE MINES" Two parts. "ONLY SKIN DEEP" Jimmie Hayes and Murriel.

## THE STAR

"Ambrosia" First Falsehood. Key-stone comedy. "In Fear of His Past," a great two reel Majestic feature. "Wife from the Country," Reliance. Come early. Good show. 5c.

## Wolves of Society

A two reel Rex story.

## "A Romance of the Back Woods"

A Victor Drama

## "Easy Money"

A comical LKO picture.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

## AT THE LYRIC

## HERE'S LADY WHO STEALS COMBINGS

CHICAGO, April 16.—Look out for your hair combings, girls, if you're contemplating making a switch from your own fallen tresses.

A "Lady Wallingford" has been visiting Chicago homes and collecting the combings Miss Everywoman keeps, promising to bring them back in the form of a switch, payment to be made when switch is delivered, according to scores of reports made to the police today. The police believe the war has caused a shortage of human hair importations, and that hair combings collectors will appear in all cities. The collector never returns the hair collected.

### MICHIGAN DRY BILL DIES

LANSING, Mich., April 16.—Amended so drastically that even its author voted against it, the straight state-wide prohibition bill was killed today in the Michigan senate. The vote was 29 to 2.

### Beards and Barristers.

In England barristers were at one time strictly prohibited from wearing beards. In the "Black Books" of Lincoln's Inn there is an order, dated "All Saints' day, 1642," which enacts that "Mr. Gernym, one of the Fellowship, shall before the 15th day of the instant month of November shave off his beard and afterwards to keep the same in like sort, upon the pain to be exiled from the Fellowship." A few years later, in 1867, the order was somewhat relaxed: "Item, that none under the degree of a knight or baronet were any beard above 1 1/2 weeks' growing, upon pain of XLs. for every week after monition."—London Graphic.

### Fame of Varennes.

The little French town of Varennes is memorable as the scene of one of the most dramatic episodes in all history. It was there, in the summer of 1791, that Louis XVI. and Marie Antoinette were stopped in their attempted flight from France. From there they were carried back to Paris and the scaffold.

### OPEN YOUR HANDS.

Open your hands, ye whose hands are full! The world is waiting for you. Give and spend and be sure that God will send, for only in giving and spending do you fulfill the object of his sending.—J. C. Holland.

## Cash and Carry Company

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All 5c goods sell at ... 4c

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## FOREIGN MARKETS

### New York Stocks

NEW YORK, April 16.—A tremendous advance in American Locomotive common stock with all other stocks strong and active, was the feature of the stock market opening today. American Locomotive opened at from 60 to 68, up 10 1/2 to 18 1/2 points over yesterday's close, on rumors of a war order for shrapnel reported at from \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000. Officials admit negotiations with the allies for a war order are under way.

Bethlehem Steel opened at 134, up two points. Reading opened up 1 1/2 and Steel opened at 57 1/2 to 58 3/4 c. The market continued active with American Locomotive still figuring as the most popular stock. Quotations on it, however, eased off to 61 1/2 against 68 earlier in the day. In the first hour 350,620 shares of stock changed hands.

Noon.—The market sold off a trifle about noon but there was a good demand on the fractional decline and a consequent check on selling orders. Trading eased off perceptibly during the second hour.

2 p. m.—Practically the only thing that broke the quiet of the early afternoon trading was a sharp rise in Republic Steel, which went to 34, an advance of 8 points. Half of this was lost before the first hour ended.

### Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, ILL., April 16.—Hogs — Receipts 10,000; market slow; generally 5c higher; mixed and butchers, \$7.15 to \$7.65; good heavy, \$7.25 to \$7.45; rough heavy, \$6.85 to \$7.05; light, \$7.20 to \$7.65; pigs, \$6.00 to \$7.00.

Cattle — Receipts 1,000; market strong, 10 to 20c higher; beefs, \$6.20 to \$8.55; cows and heifers, \$2.90 to \$8.20; Texans, \$5.65 to \$6.85; calves, \$5.75 to \$8.25.

Sheep — Receipts 8,000; market steady; native, \$7.50 to \$8.50; western, \$7.60 to \$8.60; lambs, \$8.00 to \$10.50; western, \$8.25 to \$10.65.

### Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 16.—Cattle — Receipts 200; market strong; steers, \$6.00 to \$8.50; cows and heifers, \$4.00 to \$8.35; stockers and feeders, \$6.25 to \$8.00; calves, \$6.00 to \$9.00.

Hogs — Receipts 3,500; market 15c higher; bulk, \$7.25 to \$7.35; heavy, \$7.25 to \$7.35; medium, \$7.25 to \$7.40; light, \$7.25 to \$7.40.

Sheep — Receipts 2,000; market 10 to 15c higher; lambs, \$9.75 to \$10.50; ewes, \$7.75 to \$8.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 to \$9.10.

### Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, April 16.—Butter—Extras, 29 1/2 to 30c; firsts, 27 to 28 1/2 c; dairy extras, 28 1/2 c; firsts, 26 to 27 1/2 c.

Eggs—Prime firsts, 19 to 19 1/2 c; ordinary, 18 to 18 1/2 c.

Cheese — Twins, 14 to 14 1/2 c; Young Americas, 14 1/2 to 15c.

Potatoes—Receipts 45 cars; Wisconsin white, 40 to 47c; Wisconsin red, 40 to 43c.

Live Poultry — Fowls 15 1/2 c; ducks, 12 to 17c; geese, 8 to 10c; spring chickens, 17 1/2 c; turkeys, 15c.

### Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, April 16.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.62 to \$1.62 1/2; No. 3 red, \$1.61 1/2 to \$1.61 3/4; No. 2 hard, \$1.62 to \$1.63; No. 3 hard, \$1.60 3/4 to \$1.61 1/4; white, 56 1/2 to 57 1/2 c; No. 4 white, 56 1/2 to 57c; Standard, 57 1/2 to 58 1/2 c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 76 1/2 to 76 3/4 c; No. 3 yellow, 75 to 75 1/2 c; No. 4 yellow, 74 1/2 to 74 3/4 c; No. 3 white, 75 1/2 to 76c; No. 4 white, 74 1/2 to 75c; No. 2 mixed, 76c; No. 3 mixed, 75 to 75 1/2 c; No. 4 mixed, 74 to 75c; Spring, 74 1/2 to 74 3/4 c.

### Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, April 16.—There was considerable strength shown in today's wheat market. May wheat opened 1/4 c lower than yesterday's close, while July and September were up 1/2 c and 3/4 c. A rush of buying orders sent May wheat up one point within the first fifteen minutes. July advanced one point also. Later cable news, domestic news of decreasing stocks, and belief that no peace is in sight caused further advances of 2 1/2 and 2 1/2 c above the opening.

Corn was affected by the wheat rise and also by considerable buying with offerings scarce. Prices were up 1/2 to 3/4 c above yesterday's close at the opening. Later the advances carried prices up 1/2 to 1 point above the opening.

Oats continued inactive after a dull opening, when prices were up 1/4 c above yesterday's close. May oats later advanced 1/4 c above the opening and July 1/2 c above initial prices. Provisions were higher at the start on lower receipts. Later there was a falling off in trade and prices dropped below opening figures.

Open. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT—May . . . 161 163 161 161  
July . . . 131 135 139 133 1/2  
Sept. . . 116 119 116 117 1/2

CORN—May . . . 74 76 74 75 1/2  
July . . . 77 78 77 78 1/2  
Sept. . . 77 79 77 78 1/2

OATS—May . . . 57 58 57 57 1/2  
July . . . 55 57 55 56 1/2  
Sept. . . 47 48 47 48 1/2

PORK—May . . . 17.40 17.45 17.35 17.42  
July . . . 17.82 17.97 17.80 17.92  
Sept. . . 18.20 18.32 18.20 18.25

LARD—May . . . 10.12 10.15 10.07 10.07  
July . . . 10.40 10.42 10.32 10.32

RIBS—May . . . 10.10 10.10 10.07 10.07  
July . . . 10.40 10.42 10.40 10.40  
Sept. . . 10.67 10.70 10.67 10.67

## PACKERS KILLED UNION PROPOSAL?

Professor Declares Stock Yards People Persuaded Chicago University to Suppress Survey

CHICAGO, April 16.—How, he declared, the Chicago packers influenced University of Chicago officials to omit his recommendations that stock yards workers be allowed to organize unions, in a "survey" he made in 1910-1911, was told yesterday by J. C. Kennedy, professor of economics. Professor Kennedy was the first witness this afternoon when the United States commission on industrial relations, turned its probe to conditions in the stock yards.

Prof. Kennedy, who was elected to the aldermanic council on the socialist ticket at the recent elections, made his survey as a member of Chicago university's faculty. He said his survey was turned over in proof to the packers and that when it was returned for printing and publishing his recommendation regarding unionization of the workers had been stricken out.

The former university professor intimated also that the packers at least favored entry into Chicago of thousands of immigrants. He said that the appearance always of a large number of unemployed men about the long established employment agencies in the neighborhood had much to do with low wages. Out of over 8,000 laborers employed at the yards during busy seasons, he said, more than 49 per cent received less than \$10 per week.

He described the manner in which these laborers were employed. "These men, he said, 'would appear at the employment agencies early in the morning. The agents would go among the crowd, pick out the strongest looking—perhaps a dozen or more at a time—and order the remainder to leave. If they did not leave the scene immediately, there were always sufficient police to drive them away. Some time the police used slight force.'"

## TAUBE DROPS SEVEN BOMBS IN CALAIS

PARIS, April 16.—A German Taube flew over the French seaport of Calais, according to an official statement today, dropping seven bombs. A civilian was slightly injured but "practically no damage was done," according to the official statement.

The American "Cottage." Professors Greenough and Kittredge of Harvard in their book on the ways of English words point out that "cottage," in the strict sense of a laborer's dwelling, has never been adopted into popular American use because America has never really had the thing. The word in America has always had literary and sentimental associations and finally has come to be used for the most magnificent summer residences. This has gone much further than the use of the word in England to mean a villa. In America a "cottage" definitely signifies a person who is above staying at a boarding house or hotel and has his own summer home.—London Globe.

## HERE'S PROOF THAT THE GIGANTIC GERMAN 42-CM. HOWITZER DOES EXIST



An unexploded shell from a German 42-cm. gun; flanked by a French 75-mm. shell and a German 77-mm. shell.

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Souvenirs with every purchase of one dollar or over.

Consumers' Flour of the highest quality, guaranteed to satisfy: 49 lb. bag at \$1.95  
Fresh Eggs, the dozen ..... 18c  
New Texas Cabbage, solid heads, pound ..... 3c  
New York Baldwin Apples, peck ..... 35c  
Bananas, regular 20c seller, the dozen ..... 14c  
Onion Sets, red and white, quart ..... 7c  
Corn Flakes, special ..... 7c  
Fancy Cream Cheese, fine make, the pound ..... 21c  
Sugar Cured Hams, 10 to 12 lb. average, pound ..... 13c  
Picnic Hams, 6 to 8 lb. average, pound ..... 9 1/2 c  
Gem Bacon, 3 lb. average strips, pound ..... 10c  
Kettle Rendered Leaf Lard, the pound ..... 11 1/2 c

A full line of Fruits and Vegetables at the lowest of prices.

## GRAND JURY HEARS BREWER TESTIFY

INDIANAPOLIS, April 16.—Crawford Fairbanks, the millionaire Terre Haute brewer and one of the democratic leaders in Indiana, appeared before the Marion county grand jury late yesterday. This became known today. It is understood Fairbanks was asked concerning reports that Terre Haute repeaters had come in a body to Indianapolis to take part in the local primary.

Epitaph Misinterpreted. A neighbor's little daughter, after looking for some time at Shakespeare's epitaph, which hung over the professor's fireplace, ran home. "Oh, mamma!" she said, "the B—s have the strangest sign in their living room. It says, 'For God's sake don't disturb the dust.'"—Boston Transcript.



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GOOD, active and capable foreman wanted for threshing machine assembling department by large manufacturing concern; also helpers. Must be sober and industrious. Write fully, J. L. Owens Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 4 15 21

SALESMAN WANTED to travel and leave goods on commission in small towns; man with automobile preferred. Inquire of Charles Coons, Hotel Stoddard, Call 6 to 8 p. m., 10 to 12 a. m. 4 16 16

WANTED—Married man with team of horses to work in brick yards, steady work. Will furnish house and barn to reliable party at very low rent. Apply at Mormon Coulee Brick Works. 4 13 17

WANTED—Two live men to manage branch office; experience not necessary if willing to learn; \$20 weekly or over. C. C. Locke Co., Inc., Niagara Falls, N. Y. 4 14 19

WANTED—Two shoe shiners. La Crosse Shoe Shine Parlor, 306 Main street. 4 13 19

SALESMEN WANTED—Travel and appoint agents; salary \$80 a month and expenses. Home Supply Mfg. Co., Station A, Niagara Falls, N. Y. 4 12 16

WANTED—Local salesman and collector by Milwaukee corporation. Address B. 25, care of Tribune. 4 12 20

## HELP WANTED—Female

FOR men looking young ladies or men solicitors for city work. Big money proposition with chance for advancement. Call for Nick Kronebusch at the Doering hotel between 10:30 to 1 p. m. or 6 to 8 p. m. 4 15 17

LADIES—A fascinating home business, tinting, postcards, pictures, etc. spare time, make \$12 weekly; no canvassing; sample 10c; particulars free. Artint, 988-D 130 Manhattan, N. Y. 4 16 16

WANTED—At 508 Main, the Woman's Exchange, a woman who is familiar with good plain cooking. Good wages to the right party. Must be able to give references as to ability, etc. 4 15 17

WANTED—60 girls to stem tobacco at Borden's warehouse, 1822 So. Twelfth. Warehouse to open Monday, April 19. Apply at works. A. O. Ostergren, Manager. 4 15 17

WANTED—Ten lady order clerks. Pleasant work. Apply in person. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis. 4 15 17

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Call Ole Hershorn, 905 Main street. 4 13 17

WANTED—Competent maid for second work. Mrs. L. F. Easton, 1365 Cass. 4 12 17

WANTED—Experienced and apprentice girls for dressmaking. 409 Main, over Bartel's. 4 14 17

GOOD HOME COOKING at Mrs. Fisher's. Meal tickets, \$3.50 for 21 meals. 627 Vine. 4 16 22

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. 1634 Cass St. 4 12 17

WANTED—Short order cook. Hotel Foley, 501 Mill. 3 30 17

WANTED—Second cook and maid at Lutheran hospital. 4 14 17

WANTED—Girl for second work. F. P. Hixon, 1431 King. 4 16 22

## FOR SALE

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE—Stoddard Dayton, five passenger, 40 h. p. starter, electric lights, clock, speedometer, demountable rims, shock absorber, trunk rack, etc. This is one of finest cars in city, and will be sold at a bargain. Call 717-C or 177-A new phone. 4 12 17

FOR SALE—Your choice for \$15.00 per acre, one-fourth down and six annual payments, any of our 40 or 80 acre divisions of 23,000 acres, 12 miles east of Rice Lake, 14 miles west of Ladysmith and 2 miles north of Wearhouser, Wis. Choice heavy black soil, well timbered with hard maple, basswood, and birch. The heirs to this land wish it closed out at once and have put it down to this low price. There are divisions in this tract that are worth \$50 per acre. Come and get them at once. It will all be sold before the summer is over. I go every Tuesday morning. See me at once and arrange for the trip and get further information. J. H. Bean, 419 State Bank Building, La Crosse, Wis. 3 22 6 30

FOR SALE—Gas stove. 1716 Denton street. 4 15 20

FOR SALE—The choicest citrus fruit lands in the world on the Famous Ridge in Polk county, Florida. We have the elevation which gives our section absolute frost protection; no irrigation or drainage necessary. Perfect climate. Hundreds of new settlers in land values rapidly increasing, new towns building, splendid business openings in all lines. Next excursion Tuesday, April 20. Low round trip rates. Join our party. Write, phone or call. W. J. Howey Land Co., Majestic building, New phone 1151-R; old phone 8751. 4 15 17

FOR SALE—In order to settle up an estate I have for sale two good rentable houses on one lot. It will pay to investigate. Jos. W. Gleifer. 4 11 5 9

FOR SALE—Books: 6 volumes Richard Harding Davis; 17 volumes Francis Parkman, Frontenac edition; 6 volumes Gaborian; 30 volumes Thackeray; 10 volumes Stoddard's Lectures; 10 volumes Brewster's "World's Best Essays"; 10 volumes Brewster's "World's Best Orations"; 10 volumes Burton Holmes' Lectures; 24 volumes History of Greece and Rome, Drury; 45 volumes Warner's Library, "World's Best Literature"; 8 volumes Johnson's Universal Cyclopedia; 3 volumes Appleton's Annual Cyclopedia; 4 volumes Great Men and Famous Women; 15 volumes Eber's; 24 volumes George Elliot; 18 volumes Rudyard Kipling; 10 volumes Messages and Papers of Presidents; 7 volumes Hawthorne; 10 volumes Shakespeare; 26 volumes Stevenson; 40 volumes Bulwer; 40 volumes Balzac; 20 volumes Mulbach; 48 volumes Scott; 28 volumes Doran's Works; 36 volumes Charles Dickens; 10 volumes Edgar Allen Poe; 12 volumes Mrs. Humphrey Ward; 4 volumes Greenville Kleiser. Three large oriental rugs. Call between four and six p. m. at 1029 Cameron avenue. 4 13 17

FOR SALE—Two latest model cars with electric lights and starter; one Denton 8 h. p. 2 cylinder motor suitable for motor boat for \$35. Complete with carburetor, coil and gasoline tank; one D. C. fan motor, \$2.50; one slightly used neptune motor driven horn, complete with a seng switch, installed for \$10. Park Motor Co. All kinds of auto repair work neatly and promptly done. 4 16 19

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—An A-1 stock, dairy and tobacco farm, 466 acres, near Westby, Wisconsin, over 300 acres improved. One mile from good inland town and creamery. Best of soil. Will consider some good income property. Price \$65.00 per acre. Lewis Bros. Realty and Investment Co., N. W. Cor. Fourth and Main streets, La Crosse, Wisconsin. 3 23 17

FOR SALE—A fine dairy farm of 100 acres, just outside city limits of La Crosse. Good clay soil, well improved, fine brick house, basement barn, granary and other outbuildings. Good water system and gas plant. This farm will be sold at a bargain if taken soon. Easy terms. For particulars see or write Thos. Pierce, Westby, Wis. 3 23 17

FOR SALE—A first class modern house with large elevated lot, in good locality. Will pay for itself by renting furnished rooms. A snap and best buy in the city. Address R. A. J. Tribune. 4 1 17

PIANO BARGAINS—One player piano, only slightly used, of good standard make, now \$248. One Kimball piano in dark case, now \$69. One Edison phonograph and 30 records in good condition, \$10. We have a large stock of new pianos just received from our factory. Story & Clark Piano Co., 603 Main street, La Crosse, Wis. 3 31 17

FOR SALE—Pair of birch sliding doors, with runners. New phone 1177-C. 6 23 17

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—320 acres near New Salem, N. D. There is no better soil to be found than this piece, all tillable. Address New Salem Land, care Tribune. 2 27 17

FOR SALE OR RENT—Six room house, partly modern. 1417 Farnham. 4 12 17

FOR SALE—Cheap, white blossom Catalpa trees, if taken at once. George Hauswirth, 1623 South Eighth street. 1465-M new phone. 4 10 16

FOR SALE—Union hotel at Bangor. Reasonable if taken at once. Call at hotel or Farmers' State Bank, Bangor. 4 15 17

FOR SALE—400 acres, 130 cleared, all fenced. Good house and barn and outbuildings. Near Mindoro, town Farmington. O. M. Mitchell & Son, Trempealeau, Wis. 4 10 16

FOR SALE—A nice five room house, two blocks from Burlington shops; five room house, big lot, 15th and Denton; also lots on different places. Must be sold. Aug. Kaaz, 1220 Mississippi street. New phone 1387-M. 4 6 19

FOR SALE—Jewel hard coal stove burner, one porcelain zinc and stand, front porch complete, 6 1/2 x 9 feet, cheap. Inquire at 1114 Division street. J. E. Gelfitz. 4 13 17

FOR SALE—Dr. Ordway's Improved Plasters for rheumatism, lumbago, other pains. Mrs. Rogers, 430 South Third. 4 16 17

FOR SALE—Cheap A small house boat and flat boom. Call 1271-C new phone. 4 12 17

FOR SALE—New modern house. 1727 Madison. New phone 1733-M. 4 10 16

HOTEL FOR SALE—In one of the best towns on the Green Bay road, all transient trade, doing big business. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Address O. A. Breakay, Blair, Wis. 4 14 19

FOR SALE—Modern house, corner. Address "Home," this office. 4 6 5 7

FOR SALE—Furniture stove and organ, very reasonable. New phone 915-R. 427 South Eighth street. 4 15 28

FOR SALE—One chair, only barber shop in town near La Crosse. Address "Shop," care Tribune. 4 15 16

FOR SALE—Saloon property, established business. Good location. Address Mrs. E. Netz, Prairie du Chien, Wis. 4 15 14

FOR SALE—A dandy gas stove with coil for heating bath. Very fine stove cheap. Inquire 908 State. 4 15 16

FOR SALE—Cottage with five rooms in first class repair. Bargain at \$950. New phone 802-C. 4 15 17

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house, arranged for two families; good cement barn, lot 65x80. 910 South 17th street. 4 15 17

FOR SALE—One buggy, surrey and wagon. Aug. Kaaz, 1220 Mississippi. New phone 1387-M. 4 6 19

FOR SALE—Modern house. 1101 South Twelfth. 4 1 30

FOR SALE—Fine upright piano, cheap for cash; first class condition. Write Box 377, city. 4 9 17

FOR SALE—Black dirt and fertilizer for lawn. 2104-2 rings old phone. 4 8 5 7

FOR SALE—A buggy in good condition; harness, a pair of shafts, cheap. Call at 628 West avenue So. 3 16 17

FOR SALE—One span of mares, one in foal; one 5 year colt; 1,400 pound work horse. 400 South Third. 3 29 17

FOR SALE—23 foot launch hull. Call at 629 North Ninth street. 4 5 17

CORD WOOD—Dry ash and maple. 400 South Third. New phone 884-M. 3 30 4 29

FOR SALE—Incubators, cheap. Inquire 1491-M. 4 16 22

FOR SALE—34 foot house cabin launch. Inquire 617 Cass. 4 13 19

FOR SALE—Chicken coop, 6 1/2 x 7 1/2, cheap if taken at once. 2135 Market. 4 14 17

FOR SALE—Show cases and soda fountain. Call 818 Pine. 4 14 16

FOR SALE—Work horse, 1,300 lbs. Inquire 1430 Grove. 4 15 21

FOR SALE—Wood shed. Inquire 1619 Madison street. 4 14 16

FOR SALE—Queen Best cooking stove. 920 Jackson. 4 14 16

FOR SALE—Buggy, nearly new, cheap. New phone 1110-A. 4 14 17

FOR SALE—Household goods of all kinds. 1612 King. 4 12 17

### Poultry Dept.

FOR SALE—Pure Bred Rock eggs. \$1 per 15; \$4 per 100. Six large cockerels. Van Loon, bell phone 2054. 3 16 17

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Leghorn eggs for hatching, 75c per 15. 1625 Madison. 4 14 16

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Pleasant furnished room for two; also single room. 215 South Seventh street. Telephone 665-R. 4 16 17

FOR RENT—House 1219 Farnham street, modern except heat. Inquire at 913 State street. New phone 490-A. 4 15 16

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 516 Division street. 4 15 17

FOR RENT—Six room modern house. 1800 Madison street. 4 15 17

FOR RENT—Furnished room over Bartel's dry goods, 409 Main. 4 13 17

FOR RENT—Nine room house, modern except heat. 1023 South Sixth. Call 1630 Main. 4 13 17

FOR RENT—Space in barn suitable for two automobiles, at 424 South Fourth. Telephone 1087-R. 4 12 17

FOR RENT—One modern furnished room with small family, very reasonable. Inquire 1098 State street. 4 12 17

FOR RENT—Rooms with board for two students. Address "Student," Tribune. 4 12 17

FOR RENT—Five room house and barn, chicken house, two acres of land. Call 1810 Green Bay street. 4 9 17

FOR RENT—Eight room modern house. 921 Vine. New phone 1197-M. 4 14 27

FOR RENT—Two modern newly furnished rooms, private bath, one block from Main. Phone 842 or 822-M. 4 5 17

FOR RENT—Modern city heated room. 626 Cass. Call evenings. 3 24 17

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 424 South Fourth. New phone 1087-R. 3 24 17

FOR RENT—Two five room houses. 919 Market street. 4 10 17

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 517 South Fourth. 3 25 17

FOR RENT—Strictly modern furnished room. 503 Vine. 4 14 17

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 832 Mill. 4 16 22

FURNISHED ROOM over 109 South Third street. 4 13 17

FOR RENT—Six room house, 1810 Green Bay street. 4 9 17

FOR RENT OR SALE—Vacuum cleaners. A. O. Colby, 226 N. 5th St. Phones, New 246, old 3811. 4 9 5 8

FOR RENT—Space for one automobile. Inquire 520 King. 4 15 17

### MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Second hand coaster brake bicycle. Call 744-A between 7 and 8 p. m. 4 16 19

RUGS CLEANED, sized, bound and remodeled. Oriental Rug Co., 728 Mill. 4 16 22

WANTED TO BUY—Lathes and drill press. Call or write G. H. K., 228 South Fifth street. 4 15 16

WANTED—By lady, work by day or hour. 528 Cass. 4 14 16

WANTED—Light, single, covered wagon, like milk or delivery wagon. Address J. B., 1427 South Fourth street. 4 12 17

WE CLEAN CARPETS and rugs with our large auto vacuum cleaner. If work is not satisfactory you pay nothing. New phone 1796-R. Reeves, 418 Caledonia street. 4 12 17

LADY wants work by day or hour. Old phone 3513. 4 12 17

WANTED TO RENT—Five room house. Address G. X. B., care Tribune. 4 13 17

DRAINING, ashes and rubbish hauling. L. Jahnke, new phone 1634-M. 4 9 5 8

WANTED—Roomers with or without board. 209 North Eleventh. Reasonable. 4 12 18

BAGGAGE AND DRAYING—Rubbish and ash hauling. G. A. Krueger. New phone 1541-A. 4 9 22

WANTED TO BUY—Horses and mules. Gateway City Transfer Co. 3 27 17

BICYCLE REPAIRING—We have engaged the services of an expert repair man and are now in position to do all kinds of bicycle repairing. Give us a trial. Weis Book Store, 533 Main street. 3 30 4 29

FOT THE BEST GRADE of gasoline and oil engines, engineering equipments, pumps, implements and vehicles, see the Castle Engineering Co., 325-327 Jay street. 3 24 17

CURTAINS done up and repaired. Called for and delivered. Call new phone 1415-M. mornings. 3 23 4 22

## LOST

\$5.00 REWARD for information leading to recovery of a brown spaniel, license number 245. Lost between Victory and La Crosse. Address Dr. Watterson, La Crosse, Wis. 4 15 21

LOST—Horse blanket on South Salem road. Return to Tribune. Reward. 4 16 17

## FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid and installment stock for sale. 9 12 17

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 17

## Engineering

W. S. WOODS, Engineer, Batavian Bank building. Water supply, sewage, pavements, water power, reports, surveys, plans, specifications. 2 20 5 21

## Contracting and Building

ALBERT J. GUTZKE, general contractor and builder. Repair work of any kind promptly attended to. New phone 1179-M. 4 12 24

## Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 4 12 24

## Automobile Supplies

FORD DEMOUNTABLE RIMS on new wheels ready to apply, \$17.50. Sandberg Bros. Supply Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 4 12 5 11

### Tire Repairing

HAVE YOUR TIRES and tubes made good as new. Expert tire repairing of all kinds. La Crosse Vulcanizing Co., 215 North Third. New phone 943-C; old phone 4722. 3 20 4 19

### Stoves and Furniture

WE PAY THE HIGHEST PRICES for second hand furniture, stoves, carpets and clothing. Jacobs, 219-225 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 4 1 30

### Stoves and Furniture

SECOND-HAND furniture & Stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third. 3 17 17

### Dyers and Cleaners

RUGS, carpets, naphtha cleaned. Pitzner, 201 State. Both phones. 4 8 5 7

## Daily Markets

Wholesale Fruit (Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Celery, California, per doz. 40 to 50c  
Cider, steam refined, bbl. ....\$6.50  
Cider, pure juice, bbl. ....\$6.00  
Cider, crab apple, half bbl. ....\$5.50  
Cider, steam refined, half bbl. ....\$3.50  
Cider, pure juice, half bbl. ....\$3.25  
Lemons, "Sunkist" box ....\$3.75  
Lemons, Red ball, per box ....\$3.50  
Oranges, fancy navel. ....\$2.75  
Oranges, Ex. choice. ....\$2.50  
Oranges, choice ....\$2.25  
Bananas, bunch ....\$2.00 to \$2.50  
Apples, 5 boxes, ass't'd, box ....\$1.25  
Apples, barrels, N. Y. Baldwins barrel ....\$4.00  
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl. ....\$3.50  
Onions, red or yellow, hd. ....\$1.75  
Potatoes, per bushel ....60c  
Grape fruit, size 36 ....25c  
Grape fruit, size 46 ....30c  
Grape fruit, size 54 ....35c  
Grape fruit, size 64 ....35c  
Onions, sets, white, bu. ....2.00  
Onions, sets, red, bu. ....1.75  
Onions, sets, yellow, bu. ....1.75  
Strawberries, 24 pt. case ....\$5.25  
Cabbage, new, per hd. ....\$3.00

## Livestock

(By Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company.)

Hogs .....\$6.25 to \$6.60  
Cows .....\$3.00 to \$5.00  
Steers .....\$4.00 to \$5.00  
Heifers .....\$3.50 to \$5.50  
Sheep .....\$4.00 to \$4.50  
Lamb .....\$6.00 to \$7.00

## Poultry

Chickens .....13 to 14c  
Turkeys .....12 to 14c  
Ducks .....11c  
Geese .....10c

## Provisions

Lard, per pound .....11 to 11 1/2c  
Shoulders, per pound .....10c  
Pork, per pound .....10c  
Bacon, per pound .....16 to 22c  
Ham, per pound .....14 to 15c  
Dried Beef, per pound .....18 to 22c

## Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)  
Patent, per barrel .....\$8.10  
Straight, per barrel .....\$7.90

## Mill Feed

Brn, per ton, 100 lb. sacks. ....\$26.00  
Shorts, ton, 100 lb. sacks. ....\$27.00  
White Middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks. ....\$30.00  
Red Dog, ton, 100 lb. sacks. ....\$34.00

## Grain

(Quoted by C. A. Thomas)  
Corn .....75 to 85c  
Oats .....55 to 60c  
Wheat .....\$1.20 to \$1.30  
Rye .....95c to \$1.00  
Barley .....70 to 80c

## Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)  
Creamery butter, pound .....32c  
Dairy butter, pound .....26 to 28c  
Eggs, fresh, dozen .....19c

## Cheese

(Quoted by H. Anderegg)  
Fancy full cream twin .....15 to 16c  
Fancy full cream daisies .....15 to 16c  
Fancy full cream limburger 14 to 17c  
Fancy full cream Swiss block .....17c  
Fancy full cream brick .....13 to 15c

## FAMOUS "TRIPLET" DIES

FOND DU LAC, Wis., April 16.—Sylvester Windecker, 70, member of the famous triplets, died this morning, as a result of pneumonia. The Windeckers were the oldest triplets in the world and Sylvester would have celebrated his 71st birthday on June 9.

FOR SALE—Beautiful nine room modern residence in best residence district of La Crosse. Large garage, lawn, sleeping porch. Owner leaving city. Inquire A-3, Tribune 4 14 17

Have our machine department do your machine work. Complete equipment. Prices reasonable. Castle Engineering Co., 325-327 Jay Street

FOR SALE—At once, two houses in good condition on West avenue. One modern. \$1,600 cash for both. Worth \$2,500. Rent for \$15. Must sell. 1610 West avenue south. Phone 1071-A.

## Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week



## Did You Ever Let Gas Do Your Washing?

Ladies who have tell us that it is the cheapest and best laundry servant they ever employed.

What boils the clothes so faithfully and with so little waste heat as gas? Nothing.



What is the secret of easy washing? Boiling the dirt out of the clothes, isn't it? When the water begins to bubble turn down the flame; a small fire will keep the boiler boiling.

The boiling brings out the dirt gently—without harm to the fabrics. Rinse and wring the clothes and the washing is done.

LET US SHOW YOU HOW IT WORKS.

At Your Service

## WISCONSIN-MINNESOTA LIGHT and POWER CO.

### UNREDEEMED TAX LIST AND NOTICE

State of Wisconsin, La Crosse County—ss. City of La Crosse.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 32 of Chapter X, of the charter of the City of La Crosse, being Section 32 of subsection 162 of the Laws of Wisconsin of 1887, and the several acts amendatory thereof, requiring the clerk of the city of La Crosse to publish a list of all unredeemed lands sold in said city of La Crosse for taxes, interest and charges by the treasurer of said city on the 21st day of May, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts, pieces, parcels and lots of land assessed respectively to the persons named opposite each description, which were sold on the 21st day of May, 1912, for taxes, interest and charges due on them respectively, will after the expiration of three years after the date of such sale, to-wit: After the 21st day of May, 1915, unless such tracts, pieces, parcels and lots of land are redeemed on or before the 21st day of May, 1915, be conveyed to the purchaser or owners of the several tax certificates bearing date of the 21st day of May, 1912, and covering the several tracts, pieces, parcels and lots of lands hereinafter described, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, that the sum set opposite the several descriptions hereinafter designated are the amount of taxes, interest and charges calculated to the last day of redemption, due respectively on each tract, piece, parcel and lot of land.

Dated La Crosse, Wis., April 2, 1915.  
E. H. HOFFMAN, City Clerk.  
McMillan, Bliss & Sill's Subdivision of Lots 4 and 5, Block 24, of the Original Plat of Town of La Crosse.

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.  
La Crosse Trust Co. \$15.32

Undivided 1/2 \$15.32

C. and F. J. Dunn, H. L. Dousman and Peter Cameron's Addition to the Town of La Crosse.

ex. ry land 2 1 \$32.57

Evans, Johnson and Krueger undw. 1-12 of e 10 ft of w 100 ft. 3 13 2.99

Stoddard & Levy's Addition to Town of La Crosse.

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Christine Knopf 4 3 \$17.78

Stevens' Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Zarah Peterson, e 40 ft 6 7 \$37.58

Allen, Overbaugh and Peter Burns' Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Albert Platz 57-58 14 67-68-69 14 \$331.35

E. S. Smith's Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Peter Lehnen 172 15 \$7.05

Park Addition to the City of La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Martha R. Chamberlain 16 4 \$62.23

Grant Place to the City of La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Ole Wold 3 1 \$38.66

That Part of N W 1/4 of S E 1/4, Section 8-15-7, Formerly Known as Clinton & Blackwell's Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Mrs. R. Clark, s 1/2 the City of La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

John C. Gruber, ex M. C. road 8 18 \$6.26

Ernest A. Petter, s of M. C. road 9 18 2.17

Ernest A. Petter, s of M. C. road 10 18 1.69

Garden Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

N. C. Bacheller, n 1/2 7 8 \$2.17

N. C. Bacheller, n 1/2 8 8 2.17

Cargill & Hyde's Addition to the City of La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Valloe May Kirm 2 1 \$10.24

Warner's Sub-division of Lots 1, 2 and 3 of Sub-division of N 1/2 of NW 1/4 Section 4, T 15, R 7, W.

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Peter White, Jr. 9 3 \$7.56

Rublee and Obers' Sub-division of

Lots 4 and 16 of Rublee and Gillette's Addition to the City of La Crosse, Sub-division of Block 2 of Rublee and Obers' Sub-division of Lots 4-16 of Rublee and Gillette's Addition to the City of La Crosse.

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Albert Nowak 5 \$50.72

Rublee and Obers' Sub-division of Lots 4-16 of Rublee and Gillette's Addition to the City of La Crosse.

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

W. E. Barber 3 6 \$100.48

Do w 50 ft. 10 6 \$100.48

E. S. B. Vail's Addition to the City of La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Ole Wold 7 M \$117.33

Ole Wold, w 40 ft. 8 M 40.77

S. W. Anderson's Second Addition to the City of La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Mary Mitchell 1 1 \$5.46

Mary Mitchell, e 26 ft. 2 1 5.46

E. E. Bentley, trustee 1 6 14.13

S. W. Anderson's Third Addition to the City of La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Maria A. Carey 17 3 \$5.46

Maria A. Carey 18 3 5.46

Maria A. Carey 9 4 4.59

Maria A. Carey 10 4 4.59

Jessie A. Buttle 10 5 3.82

Sarah J. McCumber 12 5 3.82

Spier's Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

J. W. Gibbons 16 2 \$3.82

First Addition to Spier's Addition to the City of La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

D. J. Cameron 1 2 \$2.20

D. J. Cameron 2 2 78.73

D. J. Cameron 3 & 4 2 64.25

Amenia Smith 14 3 6.25

Burns, Durand, Smith and Rublee's Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

John Gund Brewing Co., n 1/2 11 12 \$1.54

John Gund Brewing Co., n 1/4 12 12 1.47

Henry P. Scott 2 13 1.69

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Original Plat of North La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

M. J. Foley, n 50 ft. of s 150 ft. of e 150 25 \$16.14

J. M. Hartwell 7 32 44.17

J. M. Hartwell 8 32 16.14

Southern Addition to the Village of North La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Mrs. L. B. Sullivan 5 45 \$19.45

Robert Crowley 3 50 2.20

Southeastern Addition to the Village of North La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

John E. Kerrigan 1 3 \$21.34

John E. Kerrigan 2 3 72.16

M. Zwigert 2 26 2.99

Jane Cole's Addition to North La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Peter Holt, trustee 3 6 \$3.80

R. T. Case 2 4 5.80

R. T. Case 3 4 5.80

Gustave B. Rose w 50 ft. 6 14 2.99

Gustave B. Rose w 50 ft. 7 14 3.80

McConnell and Whittlesey's Addition to North La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Anna Jasper 7 14 \$1.69

Northern Addition to the Village of North La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Walter McDonald 1 10 \$ 7.89

Walter McDonald 6 10 11.21

Walter McDonald 3 11 6.26

Walter McDonald 4 11 6.26

Walter McDonald 5 11 6.26

Walter McDonald 6 11 7.89

Walter McDonald 18 20.98

First Addition to P. S. Davidson's Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Hugo Schick 12 9 \$60.27

Second Addition to P. S. Davidson's Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

F. E. & R. L. Hall 10 20 \$30.98

William Gohres' Addition to North La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

J. Bunn 2 8 \$8.72

Spier & Canterbury's Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

W. W. Cargill 5 7 \$1.86

First Addition to Spier & Canterbury's Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Ediz. Grant, et al 13 8 \$14.52

Ediz. Grant's Addition to La Crosse

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Henry Stewart 6 6 \$3.43

Otto W. Lang 9 7 2.50

M. J. Berry 2 12 5.72

Helen C. Chamberlain 1 24 4.62

Section 31, Township 16, Range 7, West

Assessed To Description Amt.

## HOLLAND AROUSED BY SINKING OF STEAMER KATWYK

Newspapers Warn Germany Sharply to Desist from Attacks on Dutch Vessels

BERLIN, via Amsterdam, April 16.—The German government has begun an official investigation of the charge that a German submarine sank the Dutch steamer Katwyk.

THE HAGUE, April 16.—The Dutch government officially announced today, through Minister of Marine Rambonnet, that it was satisfied a submarine sank the Dutch steamer Katwyk yesterday, near the North Hinder lightship. The government refrained from indicating the nationality of the submarine but declared that an official inquiry into that phase of the case was continuing.

"The submarine disappeared in the darkness, after refusing the request of the Katwyk's crew that she tow their boats," said the official statement. "At an official inquiry the Katwyk's crew was unable to state definitely the nationality of the attacking vessel."

The leading Dutch newspapers and the public generally were certain that the Katwyk was torpedoed by a German submarine and gave vent to bursts of indignation today. Newspapers with English leanings called upon the government to issue a sharp note to Germany, demanding an apology and declaring a repetition of the offense would mean war. Other papers, though less warlike, warned Germany that an accumulation of attacks against Dutch vessels by German submarines was rapidly developing a most serious situation.

## FALABA CREW IS BLAMED FOR LOSS OF MANY LIVES

BERLIN, via wireless to Sayville, L. I., April 16.—That he was under strict orders not to take aboard any persons unused to living in a submarine vessel, was the official explanation offered by the commander of the German submarine that sank the Falaba for failing to rescue any of the English liner's passengers while they were struggling in the water.

The commander's official report received today said the Falaba disobeyed orders to stop, and signalled for help. The loss of 112 lives, he reported, was due to unseamanlike behavior of the Falaba's crew in getting over the boats.

The Man Behind the Gun.

The late Admiral Erben had the good fortune or the merit to originate a world circling phrase, "the man behind the gun." He used it in a speech on the factors of success in naval warfare to emphasize the necessity of having efficiency, preparedness, run through the entire personnel. It was also a reminder that the enlisted men have a good deal more to do with bringing about victory than always appears in history or official reports. The expression was employed in supplementing the views of Captain Mahan and attained circulation at once as epitomizing a whole library of instruction.—Exchange.

Anybody's face should stop a car. If a word to the wise is sufficient, few men are wise.

## Warner's Safe Nervine

has a direct action on the nerve centers. It allays irritability, produces healthful and refreshing sleep, and leaves no unpleasant after effects. Headaches, sleeplessness, neuralgia, and listlessness are all nervous ailments for which Warner's Safe Nervine is unsurpassed. Try it, when you're "all fagged out."

Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00, at your druggist, on receipt of price.

Write for booklet, Warner's Safe Remedies Co., Dept. 422, Rochester, N.Y.

Estate of Lucy Reynolds, Undivided 1/2 of fractional lot 1 ex. a strip owned by C. M. & St. P. Ry. Co., off the w end 900 ft. wide. \$67.23

Assessed To Description Amt.

Estate of Lucy Reynolds, N. 200 ft. of fractional lot 2 ex. the Wly 513 ft. thereof \$17.78

Assessed To Lot Bk. Amt.

Estate of Lucy Reynolds, That portion of fractional lot 2 as follows: Com. at a pt. in w line of North Third street or Mill street 800 ft. s of ne corner of Fractional Lot 2, thence running w to a pt. 275 ft. e of right of way of C. M. & St. Paul Ry. Co., thence in a southeasterly direction along a line 275 ft. e of said right of way to a pt. 998 ft. s of n line of said Fractional Lot 2, thence e to w line of Mill St., thence n to place of beg. ex. right of way of C. B. & Q. Ry. Co. \$21.07

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## JUST TO REMIND YOU

## The BIG SHOE SALE CONTINUES — Come Saturday

We supplied hundreds of families with shoes and we are prepared to supply hundreds more. Eager buyers are more than pleased with the

## EXTREME LOW PRICES

### Women's Fine SHOES

In patent leather, gun metal, fine kid, tan Russia calf, both button and blucher, in short round toes, broad toes, medium toes, Goodyear welt sewed, former prices \$2.00 to \$3.50, Clean Up Sale pair ..... **\$1.00**

### Men's Fine SHOES

In patent leather, button and bluchers, a few gun metal button and a few Russia calf, former prices \$2.50 to \$5.00, Clean Up Sale pair ..... **\$1.98**

### Children's Shoes

Sizes 5 1/2 to 8, button or lace, tan or black, former prices 90c to \$1.50, Clean Up Sale

**69c**

### Infants' Soft Soles

White and colored tops, sizes 1 to 4, 50c values, Clean Up Sale, pair

**25c**

### Children's Shoes

Sizes 3 to 5, in button or lace, former prices 60c to \$1.00, Clean Up Sale

**48c**

### Children's Shoes

Sizes 8 1/2 to 11, Girls' shoes 11 1/2 to 2, Boys' shoes 8 1/2 to 1, former prices \$1.50 to \$1.85, Clean Up Sale

**98c**

**BOYS' SHOES**—Sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, in patent leather button or bluchers and gun metal bluchers, former prices \$2.25 to \$3.00, Clean Up Sale pair ..... **\$1.48**

**WOMEN'S FINE SHOES**—Brocaded cloth top, patent leather button, kidney heel, former prices \$4.00, Clean Up Sale, pair ..... **\$1.48**

## MARTIN ROTH

522 MAIN STREET

2 DOORS EAST OF MAJESTIC

## Mayor Roberts Must Serve Six Years

CRIPPLE CREEK NETS 25 CENTS MONTHLY

CRIPPLE CREEK, Col.,—Mayor, 25 cents a month; each of four aldermen, 8 1-2 cents a month.

With these salaries there were, nevertheless, many candidates for office at the election held April 6. The highest-salaried city official is the city clerk, who gets \$50 a month.

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